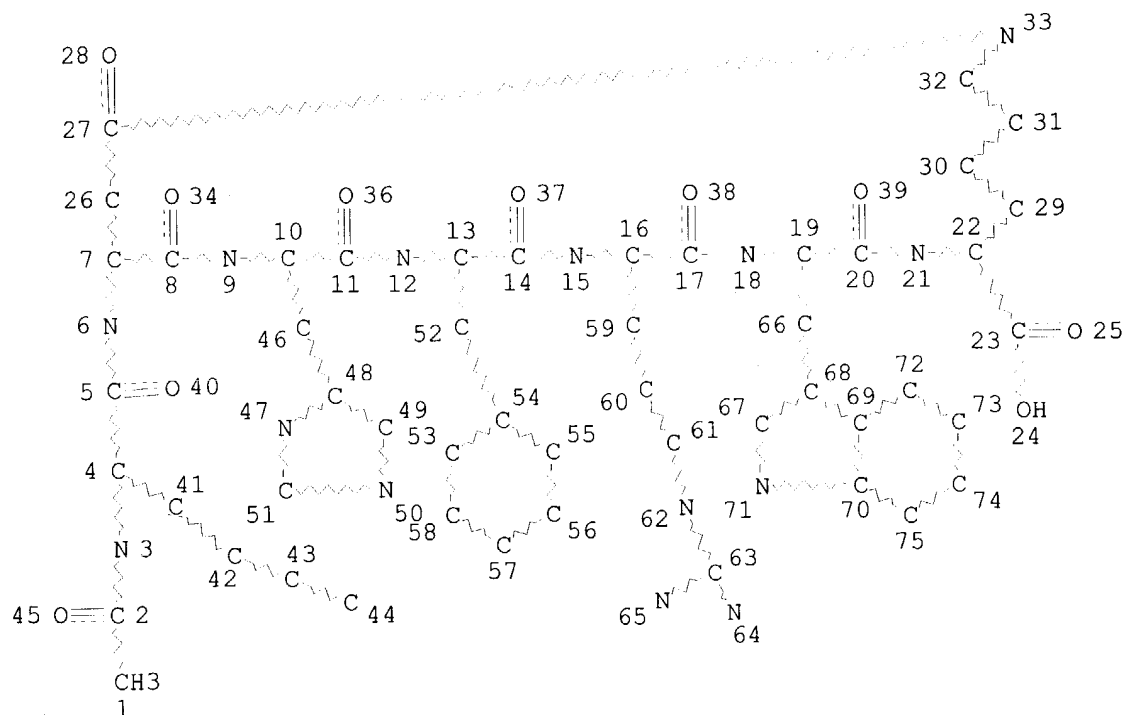


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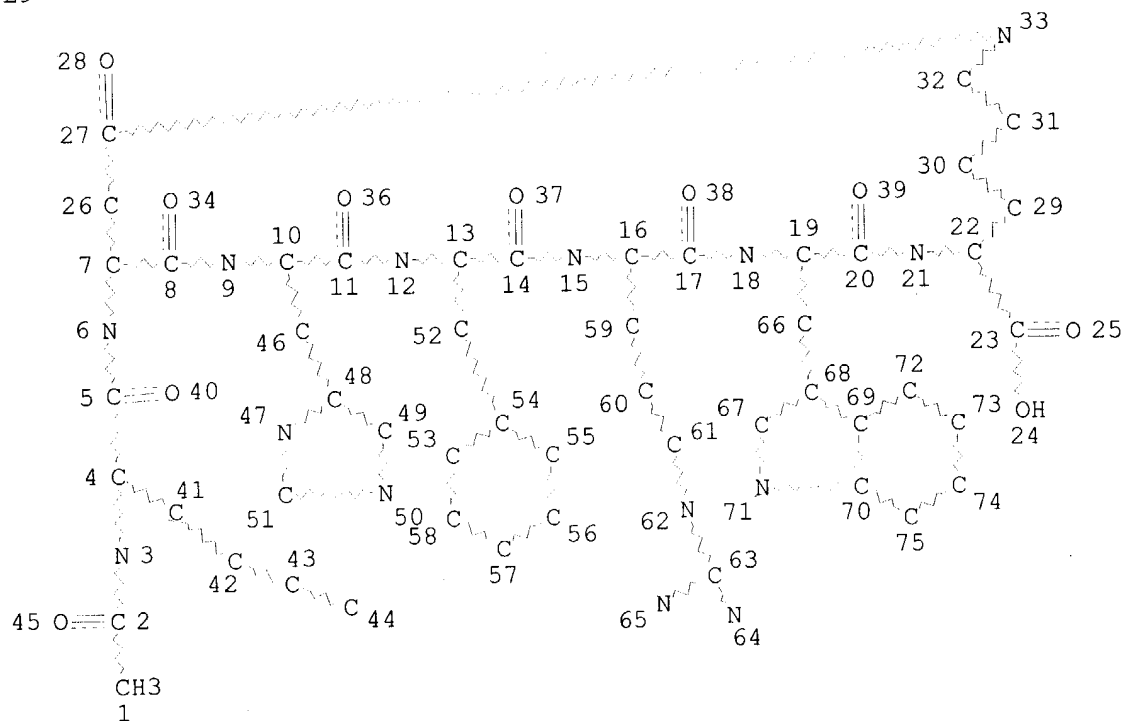
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 INVENTOR(S): Sharma, Shubh D.; **Shadiack, Annette M.**;
 Yang, Wei; Rajpurohit, Ramesh
 PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Palatin Technologies, Inc., USA
 SOURCE: PCT Int. Appl., 80 pp.
 CODEN: PIXXD2
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 OTHER SOURCE(S): MARPAT 140:105305
 AB Peptides for treatment of sexual dysfunction, including erectile dysfunction and female sexual dysfunction, and combination drugs and method of use thereof, including a peptide of the invention and one or more second sexual dysfunction pharmaceutical agents are disclosed.

L15 ANSWER 2 OF 28 HCAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2004 ACS on STN DUPLICATE 2
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 DOCUMENT NUMBER: 138:117676
 TITLE: Linear and **cyclic** melanocortin receptor-specific **peptides**, and therapeutic use
 INVENTOR(S): Sharma, Shubh D.; **Shadiack, Annette M.**;
 Yang, Wei; Rajpurohit, Ramesh
 PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Palatin Technologies, Inc., USA
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PRIORITY APPLN. INFO.: US 2001-304836P P 20010711

OTHER SOURCE(S): MARPAT 138:117676

AB Linear and **cyclic peptides** are provided which are specific to melanocortin receptors and which exhibit agonist, antagonist, or mixed agonist-antagonist activity. The peptides of the invention may be used to treat e.g. erectile dysfunction and eating disorders.

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DOCUMENT NUMBER: 138:180744

TITLE: Compositions and methods for the diagnosis and treatment of psychogenic erectile dysfunction

INVENTOR(S): Mann, Morris; Mann, Maria A.

PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): USA

SOURCE: U.S. Pat. Appl. Publ., 8 pp.

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DOCUMENT TYPE: Patent

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AB The present invention is directed to a group of linear and **cyclic peptides** having the structures: Ac-Nle-Asp-His-D-Phe-Cl-Arg-Trp-Lys-NH₂; Ac-Nle-Asp-His-D-Phe-Cl-Arg-Trp-Lys-Gly-NH₂; Ac-Nle-Asp-His-D-Phe-Cl-Arg-Trp-Lys-Gly-Pro-NH₂; Ac-Ser-Tyr-Ser-Nle-Asp-His-D-Phe-Cl-Arg-Trp-Lys-NH₂; Ac-Tyr-Ser-Nle-Asp-His-D-Phe-Cl-Arg-Trp-Lys-NH₂; and Ac-Ser-Nle-Asp-His-D-Phe-Cl-Arg-Trp-Lys-NH₂. These peptides, when systemically administered to animals, will bring about a sexual response and are thus useful for the diagnosis and treatment of psychogenic sexual dysfunction in the male.

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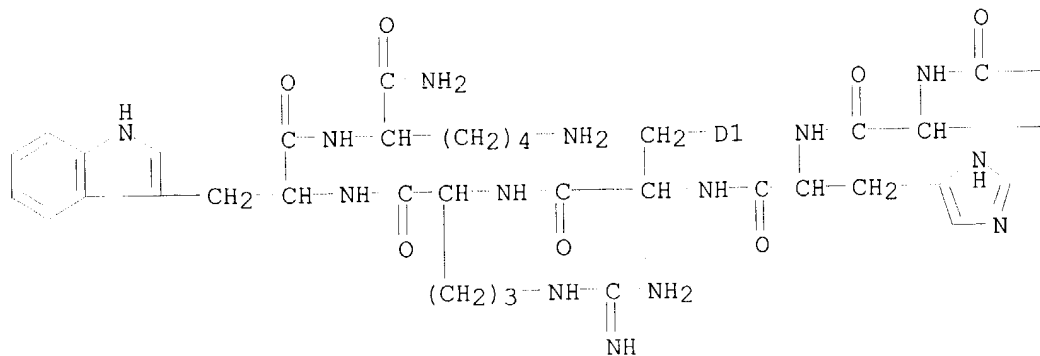
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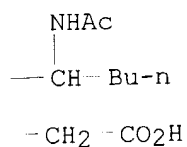
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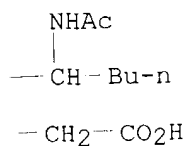
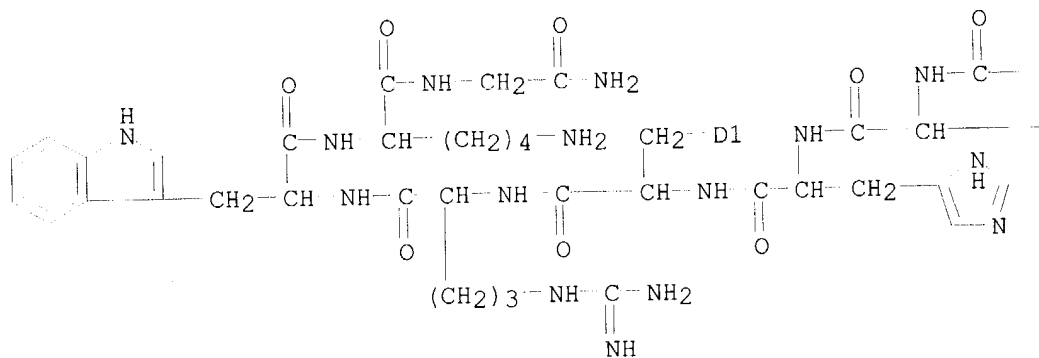


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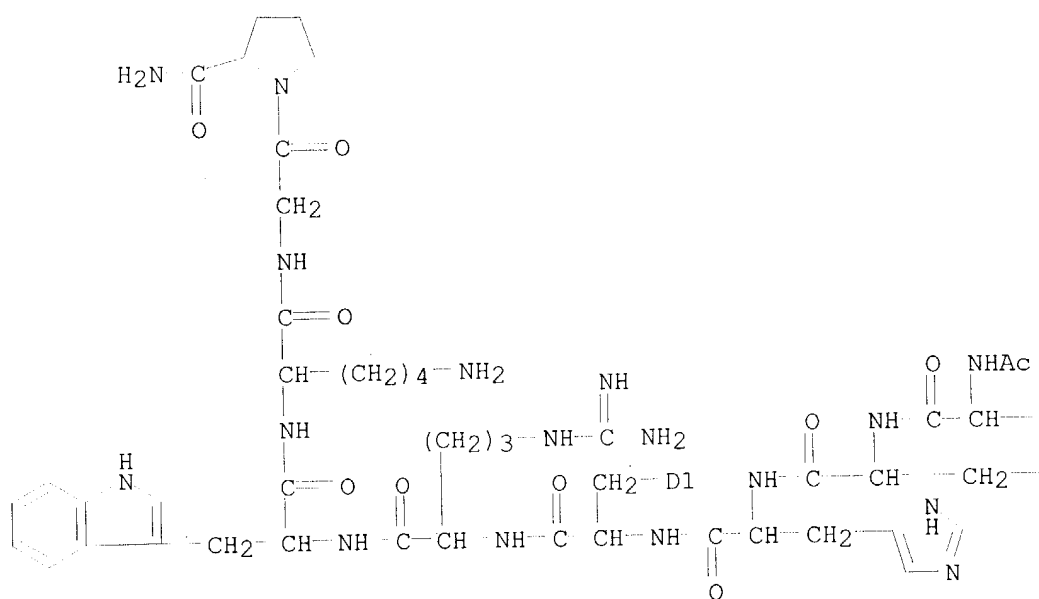


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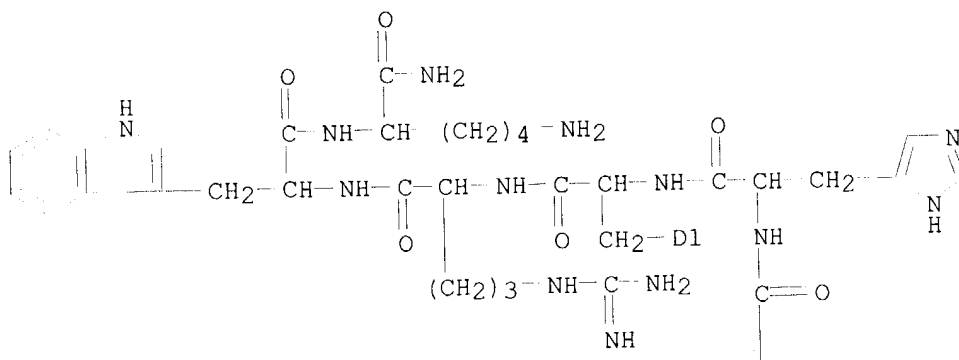
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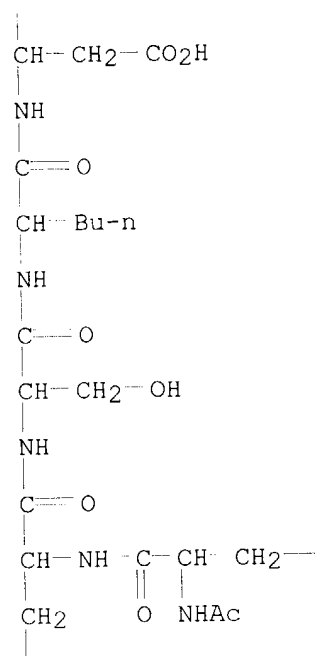
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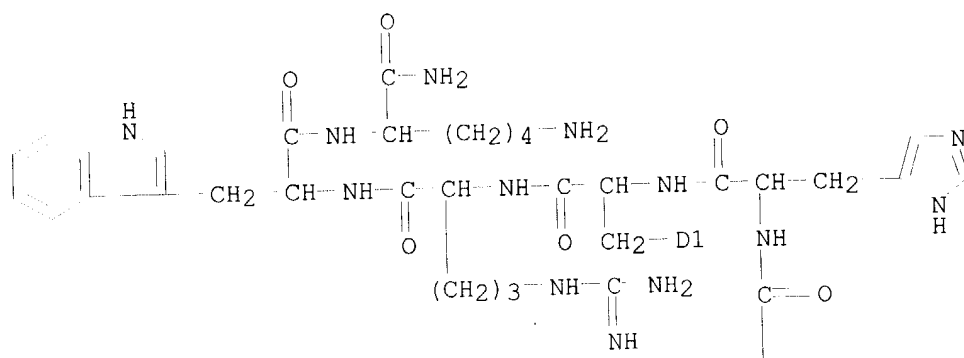
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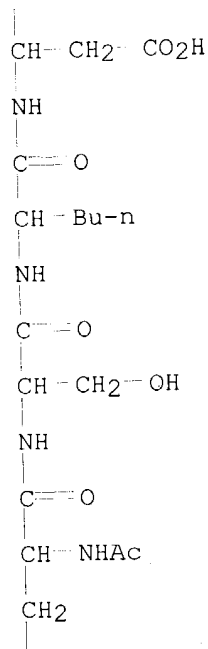
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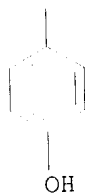
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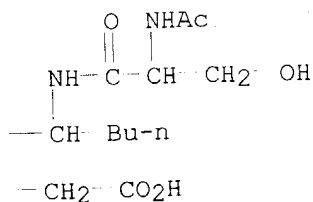
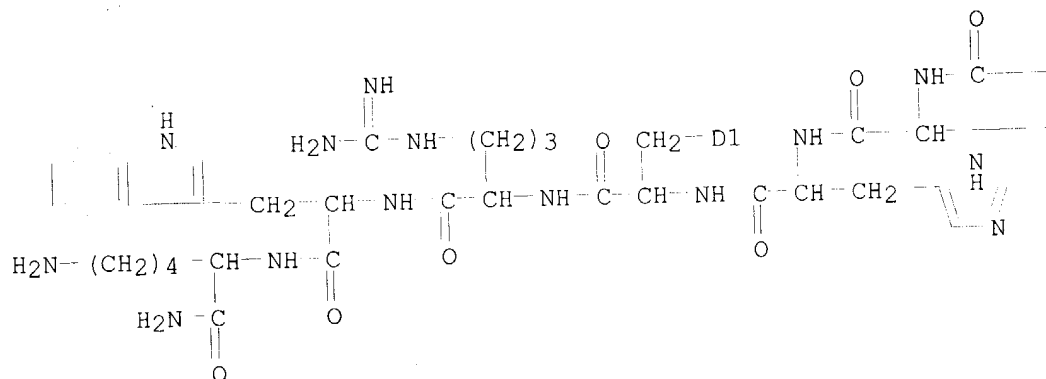


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Structure-activity relationship of **cyclic peptide** penta-c[Asp-His6-DPhe7-Arg8-Trp9-Lys]-NH₂ at the human melanocortin-1 and -4 receptors: His6 substitution

AUTHOR(S):

Cheung, Adrian Wai-Hing; Danho, Waleed; Swistok, Joseph; Qi, Lida; Kurylko, Grazyna; Rowan, Karen; Yeon, Mitch; Franco, Lucia; Chu, Xin-Jie; Chen, Li; Yagaloff, Keith

CORPORATE SOURCE:

Roche Research Center, Hoffmann-La Roche Inc., Nutley, NJ, 07110, USA

SOURCE:

Bioorganic & Medicinal Chemistry Letters (2003), 13(7), 1307-1311

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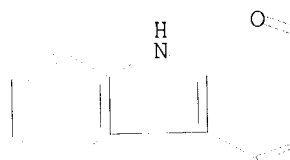
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AB A series of MT-II related **cyclic peptides**, based on potent but non-selective hMC4R agonist (Penta-c[Asp-His6-DPhe7-Arg8-Trp9-Lys]-NH₂) was prepared in which His6 residue was systematically substituted. Two of the most interesting peptides identified in this study are Penta-c[Asp-5-ClAtc-DPhe-Arg-Trp-Lys]-NH₂ and Penta-c[Asp-5-ClAtc-DPhe-Cit-Trp-Lys]-NH₂ which are potent hMC4R agonists and are either inactive or weak partial agonists (not tested for their antagonist activities) in hMC1R, hMC3R and hMC5R agonist assays.

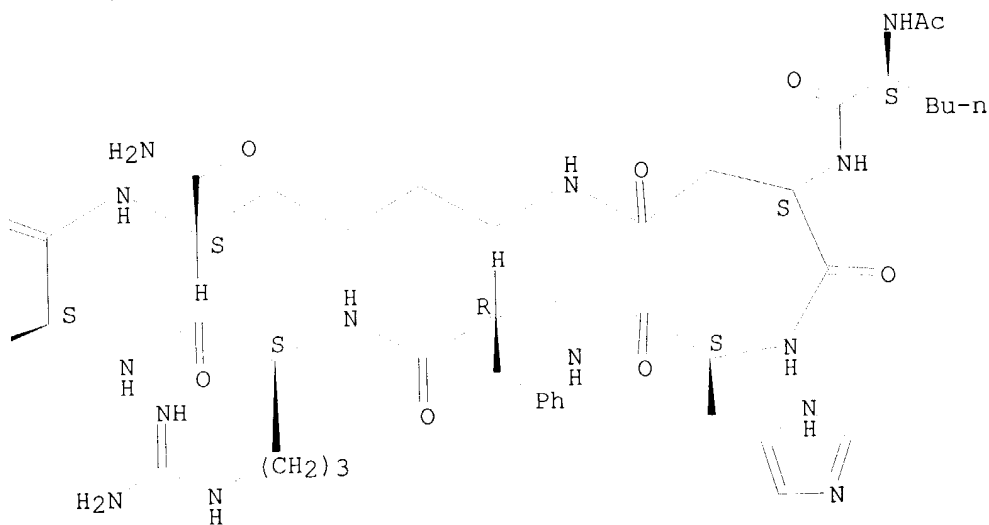
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TITLE: Molecular determinants of melanocortin 4 receptor ligand binding and MC4/MC3 receptor selectivity

AUTHOR(S): Nickolls, Sarah A.; Cismowski, Mary I.; Wang, Xiaochuan; Wolff, Meira; Conlon, Paul J.; Maki, Richard A.

CORPORATE SOURCE: Neurocrine Biosciences Inc., San Diego, CA, USA

SOURCE: Journal of Pharmacology and Experimental Therapeutics (2003), 304(3), 1217-1227

CODEN: JPETAB; ISSN: 0022-3565

PUBLISHER: American Society for Pharmacology and Experimental Therapeutics

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal

LANGUAGE: English

AB The mol. basis of ligand recognition by the melanocortin 4 receptor (MC4R) has not been fully defined. In this study, we investigated the mol. determinants of MC4R ligand binding, employing a large array of ligands, using three approaches. First; mol. modeling of the receptor was used to identify Phe284, in transmembrane (TM) 7, as a potential site of ligand interaction. Mutation of Phe284 to alanine reduced binding affinity and potency of peptides containing L-Phe by up to 71-fold but did not appreciably affect binding of linear peptides containing D-Phe, consistent with a hydrophobic interaction between the Phe7 of α -MSH and Phe284. Second, we examined the effect of a naturally occurring mutation in TM3 (I137T) that is linked to obesity. This mutation decreased affinity and potency of **cyclic**, rigid **peptides** but not more flexible peptides, consistent with an indirect effect of the mutation on the tertiary structure of the receptor. Third, we examined the residues that support ligand selectivity for the MC4R over the MC3R. Mutation of Ile125 (TM3) of the MC4R to the equivalent residue of the MC3R (phenylalanine) selectively decreased affinity and potency of MC4R-selective ligands. This effect was mirrored by the reciprocal MC3R mutation F157I. The magnitude of this effect indicates that this locus is not of major importance. However, it is considered that an isoleucine/phenylalanine mutation may affect the orientation of Asp122, which has been identified as a major determinant of ligand binding affinity. Thus, this study provides further characterization of the MC4R binding pocket.

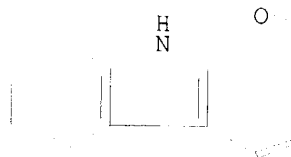
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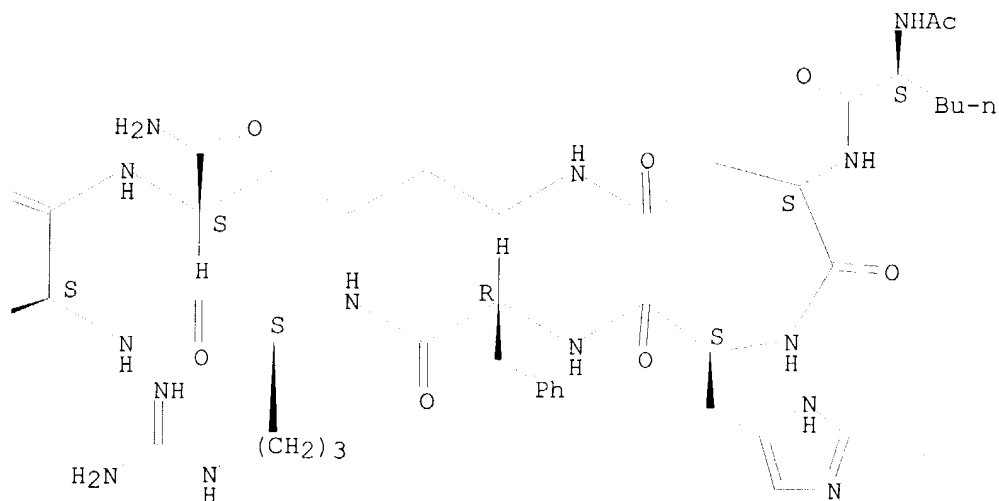
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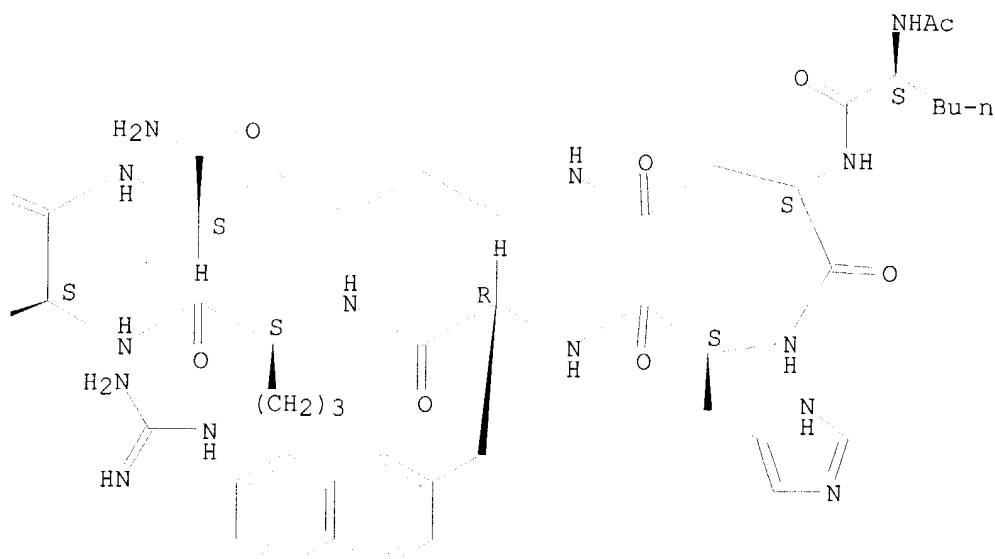
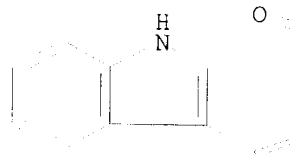
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TITLE: Novel selective melanocortin 4 receptor antagonist induces food intake after peripheral administration

AUTHOR(S): Schioth, Helgi B.; Kask, Ants; Mutulis, Felixss; Muceniece, Ruta; Mutule, Ilga; Mutule, Ilze; Mandrika, Ilona; Wikberg, Jarl E. S.

CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Neuroscience, Uppsala University, Uppsala, 751 24, Swed.

SOURCE: Biochemical and Biophysical Research Communications (2003), 301(2), 399-405

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AB The authors synthesized a new series of small cyclic MSH analogs and screened them for binding affinity at the four MSH binding melanocortin (MC) receptors. The authors identified a novel substance HS131, with about 20-fold higher affinity for the MC4 receptor than the MC3 receptor. This substance proved to be antagonist for all the four MC receptors in a cAMP assay. HS131 is a six amino acid long peptide, has a mol. weight below 1000, and has only two amino acids in common with the natural MSH peptides. HS131 potentially and dose dependently increased food intake after i.c.v. administration. Moreover, s.c. administration of HS131 (1.0 mg/kg) increased food intake, suggesting that HS131 may be able to pass the blood brain barrier. This **cyclic** low mol. weight **peptidomimetic** will enable studies of the functional role of the MC4 receptors by peripheral administration and it may be used as a template for further development of low mol. weight substances for the MC receptors.

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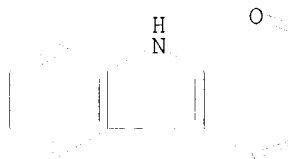
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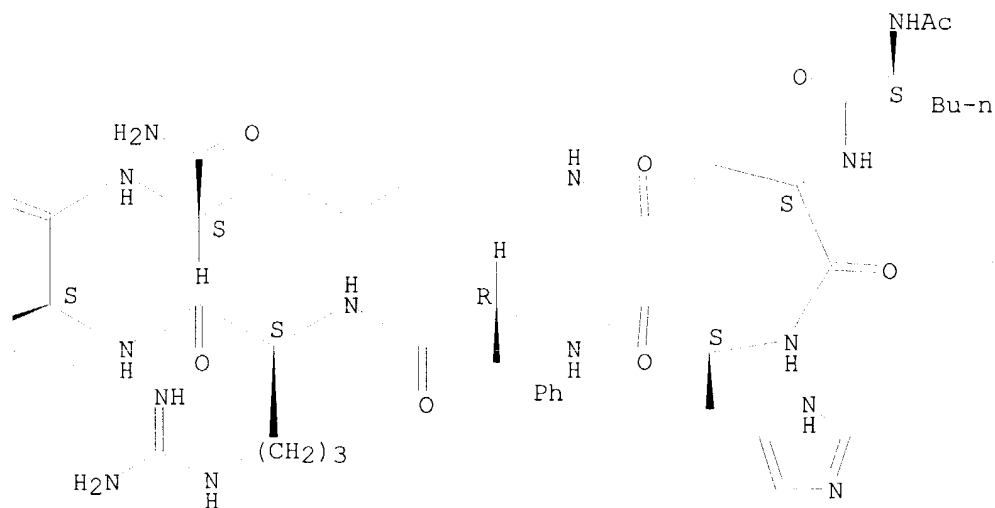
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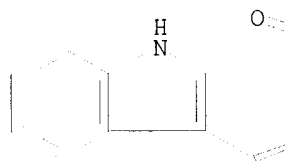


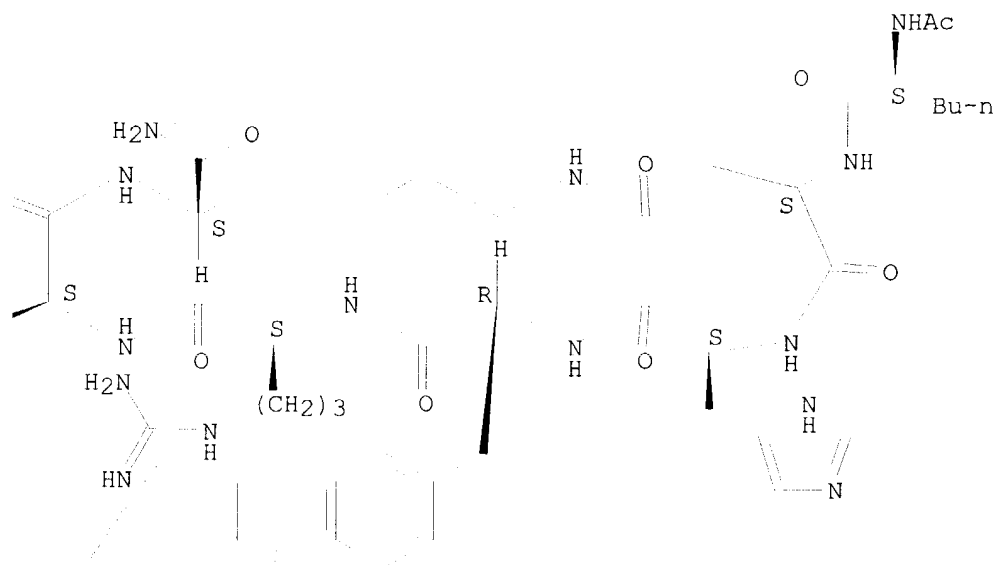
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Absolute stereochemistry. Rotation (-).

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 DOCUMENT NUMBER: PubMed ID: 12851303
 TITLE: PT-141: a melanocortin agonist for the treatment of sexual dysfunction.
 AUTHOR: Molinoff P B; **Shadiack A M**; Earle D; Diamond L E; Quon C Y
 CORPORATE SOURCE: Palatin Technologies, Inc, Cranbury, New Jersey 08512, USA.
 SOURCE: Annals of the New York Academy of Sciences, (2003 Jun) 994 96-102.
 Journal code: 7506858. ISSN: 0077-8923.
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 Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)
 LANGUAGE: English
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AB PT-141, a synthetic peptide analogue of alpha-MSH, is an agonist at melanocortin receptors including the MC3R and MC4R, which are expressed primarily in the central nervous system. Administration of PT-141 to rats and nonhuman primates results in penile erections. Systemic administration of PT-141 to rats activates neurons in the hypothalamus as shown by an increase in c-Fos immunoreactivity. Neurons in the same region of the central nervous system take up pseudorabies virus injected into the corpus cavernosum of the rat penis. Administration of PT-141 to normal men and to patients with erectile dysfunction resulted in a rapid dose-dependent increase in erectile activity. The results suggest that PT-141 holds promise as a new treatment for sexual dysfunction.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2002:595493 HCAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 137:145614

TITLE: Pharmaceutical compositions containing a peptide for treatment of sexual dysfunction

INVENTOR(S): Blood, Christine H.; Shadiack, Annette M.; Bernstein, Joanna K.; Herbert, Guy H.

PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): USA

SOURCE: U.S. Pat. Appl. Publ., 20 pp., Cont.-in-part of U.S. Ser. No. 606,501.

CODEN: USXXCO

DOCUMENT TYPE: Patent

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AB Compsns. and methods are provided for treatment of sexual dysfunction in mammals, including male sexual dysfunction, such as erectile dysfunction, and female sexual dysfunction. In one embodiment, a peptide-based composition including the peptide sequence Ac-Nle-cyclo(-Asp-His-D-Phe-Arg-Trp-Lys)-OH (I) is administered. Methods of administration include injection, oral, nasal and mucosal administration. I was dissolved in a 50 mM citrate, pH approx. 6.0, at a concentration of .825 mg per mL to obtain a nasal solution

Nasal

administration of I at a concentration of 25 µk/kg induced 100% penile erection in rats for 2 times in 30 min.

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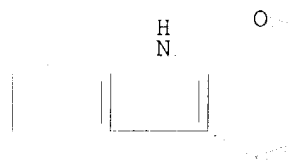
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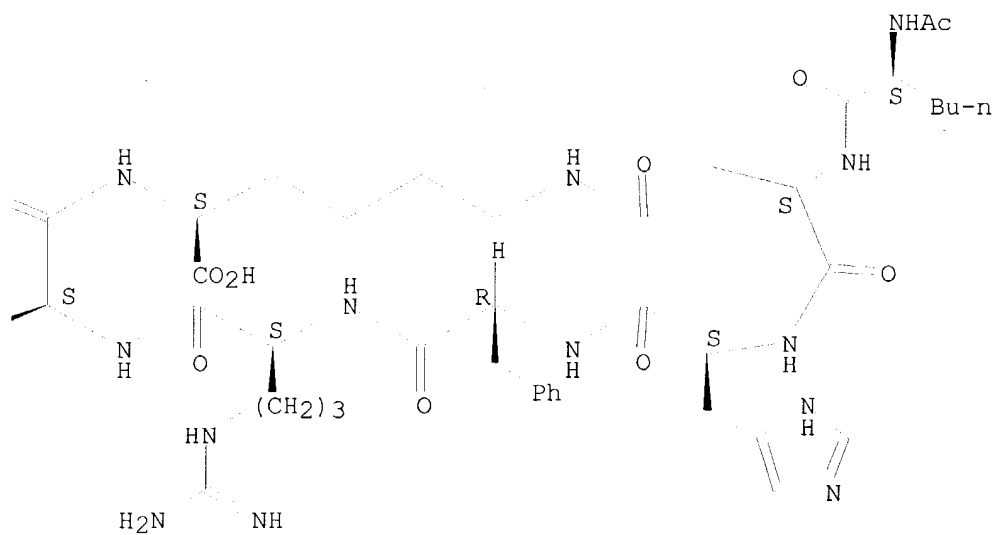
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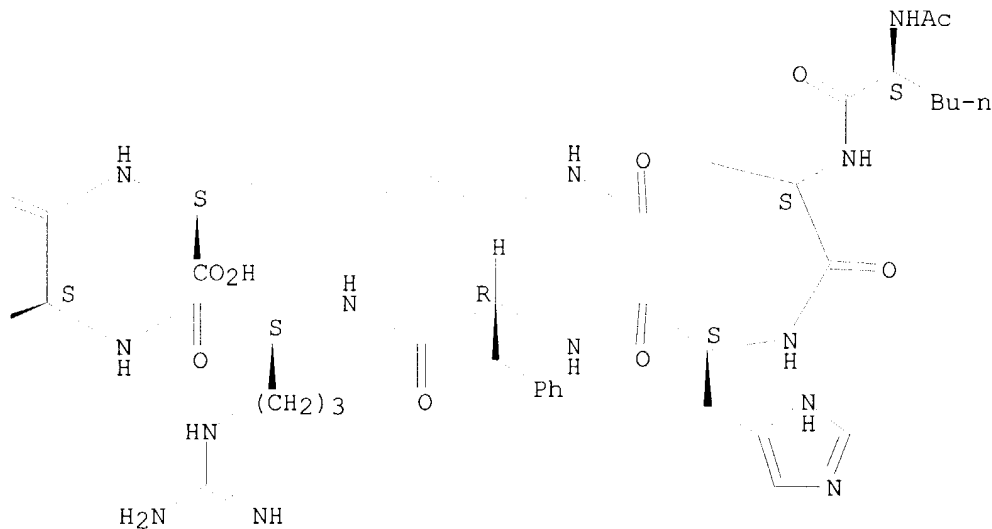
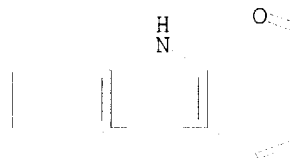
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Absolute stereochemistry.



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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2002:171949 HCAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 136:217052

TITLE: Preparation of **cyclic peptides**
having melanocortin-4 receptor (MC4-R) agonist
activity

INVENTOR(S): Chen, Li; Cheung, Adrian Wai-hing; Chu, Xin-jie;
Danho, Waleed; Swistok, Joseph; Wang, Yao; Yagaloff,
Keith Alan

PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): F. Hoffmann-La Roche Ag, Switz.

SOURCE: PCT Int. Appl., 230 pp.

CODEN: PIXXD2

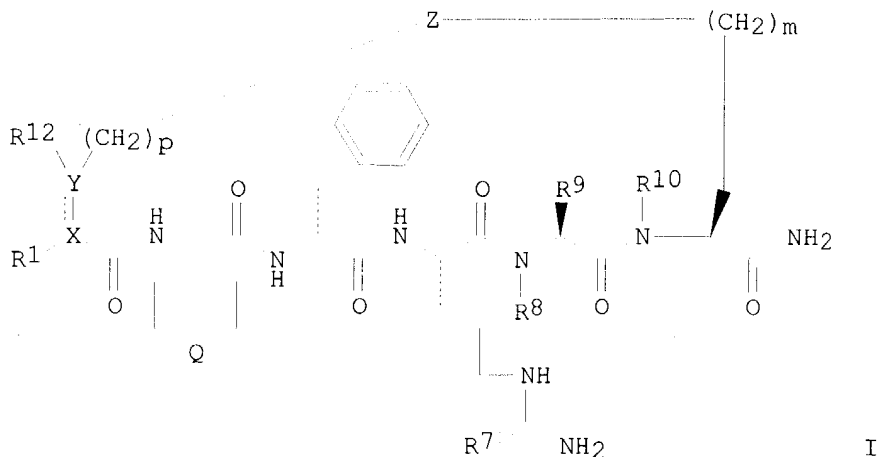
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AB The invention refers to peptides I [R1XYR12 is benzo or R1 is H, R2(NH)nCONH (R2 = alkyl, alkenyl, alkynyl; n = 0 or 1), or R2CONHCHR14CONH (R14 is alkyl); R12 is H; XY is C:C or CHCH; Q is (un)substituted methylene or phenylimino; R7 = O, NH; R8, R10 = H, Me; R9 is 3-indenylalkyl, 1- or 2-naphthyl; p = 0 or 1; m = 0-3; Z = CONH or S2], cyclized via disulfide or lactam bridges, having melanocortin-4 receptor (MC4-R) agonist activity and useful for treatment of obesity. Thus, BuCO-cyclo(Asp-Lys)-Asp-Apc-D-Phe-Arg-Trp-Lys-NH2 (Apc = 1-amino-4-phenyl-1-cyclohexanecarboxylic acid residue, Asp-Lys forms a lactam bridge) was prepared by the solid-phase method and showed EC50 = 9.2 and 654 nM, resp., in the MC-4 and MC-1 agonist assays:

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RL: PAC (Pharmacological activity); SPN (Synthetic preparation); THU
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(preparation of **cyclic peptides** having melanocortin-4
receptor (MC4-R) agonist activity)

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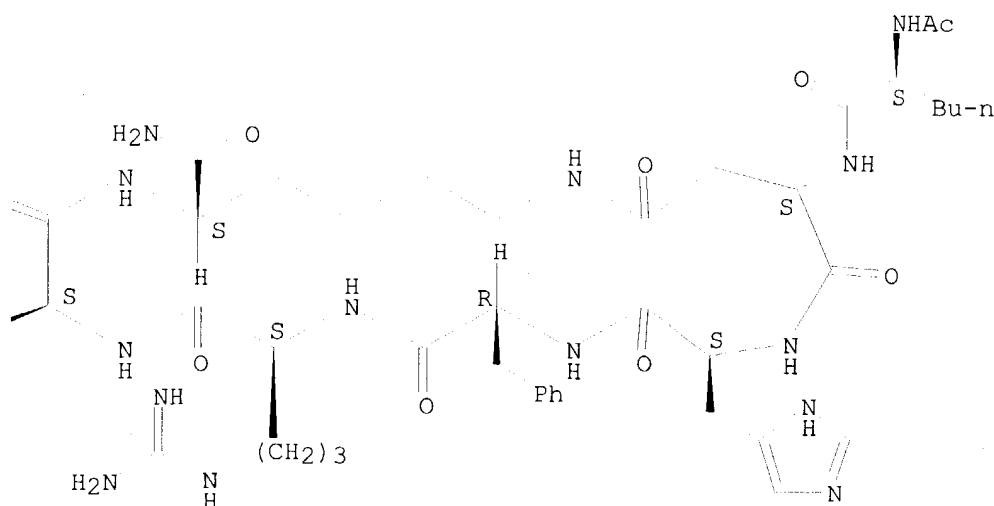
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Absolute stereochemistry.

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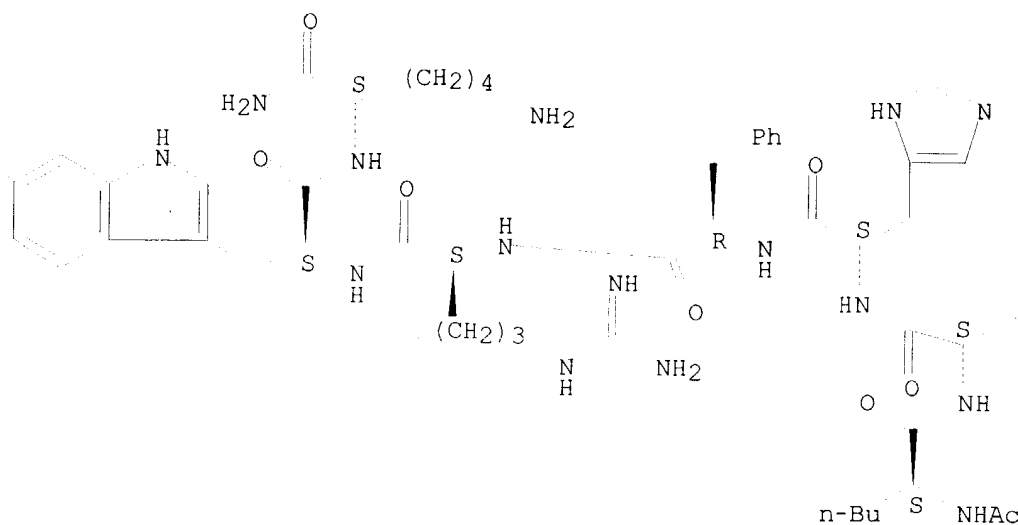
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receptor (MC4-R) agonist activity)

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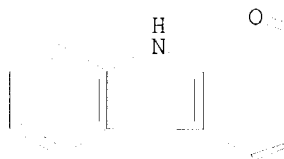
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 AUTHOR(S): Grieco, Paolo; Lavecchia, Antonio; Cai, Minying; Trivedi, Devendra; Weinberg, David; MacNeil, Tanya; Van der Ploeg, L. H. T.; Hruby, Victor J.
 CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Chemistry, University of Arizona, Tucson, AZ, 85721, USA
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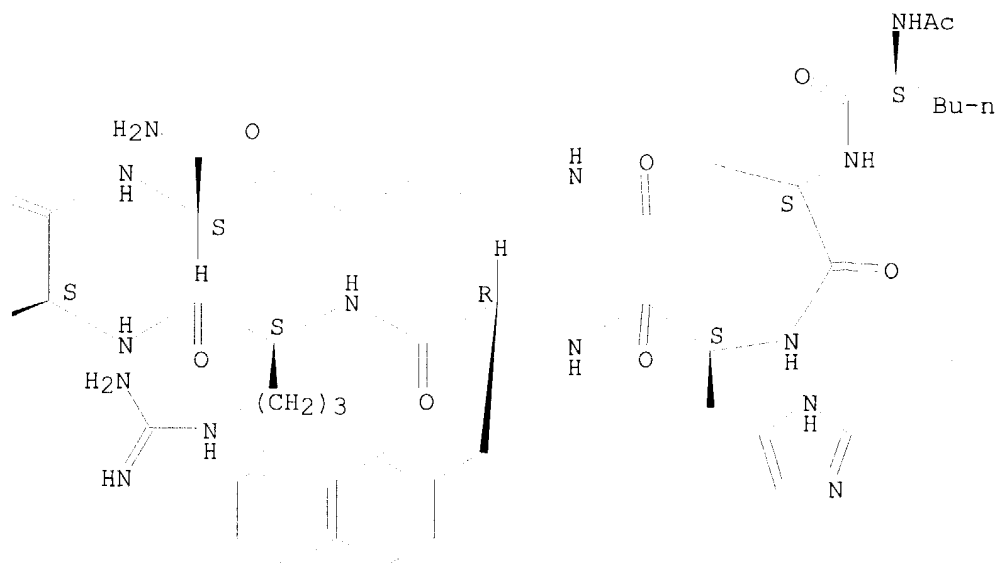
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- AB The authors have designed and synthesized several novel cyclic SHU9119 analogs (Ac-Nle4-[Asp5-His6-DNal(2')7-Arg8-Trp9-Lys10]-NH2) modified in position 6 with nonconventional amino acids. SHU9119 is a high affinity nonselective antagonist at hMC3R and hMC4R with potent agonist activity at hMC1R and hMC5R. The authors measured the binding affinity and agonist potency of the novel analogs at cloned hMC3R, hMC4R, and hMC5R receptors and identified several selective, high affinity hMC3R and hMC4R antagonists. Compound 4 containing Che substitution in position 6 is a high affinity hMC4R antagonist (IC50 = 0.48 nM) with 100-fold selectivity over hMC3R antagonist. Analog 7 with a Cpe substitution in position 6 is a high affinity hMC4R antagonist (IC50 = 0.51 nM) with a 200-fold selectivity vs. the hMC3R. Interestingly, analog 9 with an Acpc residue in position 6 is a high affinity hMC3R antagonist (IC50 = 2.5 nM) with 100-fold selectivity vs. the hMC4R antagonist based on its binding affinities. This compound represents the first cyclic lactam antagonist with high selectivity for the hMC3R vs. hMC4R. To understand the possible structural basis responsible for selectivity of these peptides at hMCR3 and hMCR4, the authors have carried out a mol. modeling study to examine the conformational properties of the **cyclic peptides** modified in position 6 with conformationally restricted amino acids.
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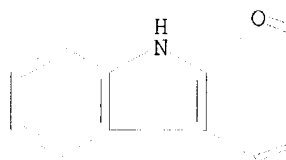
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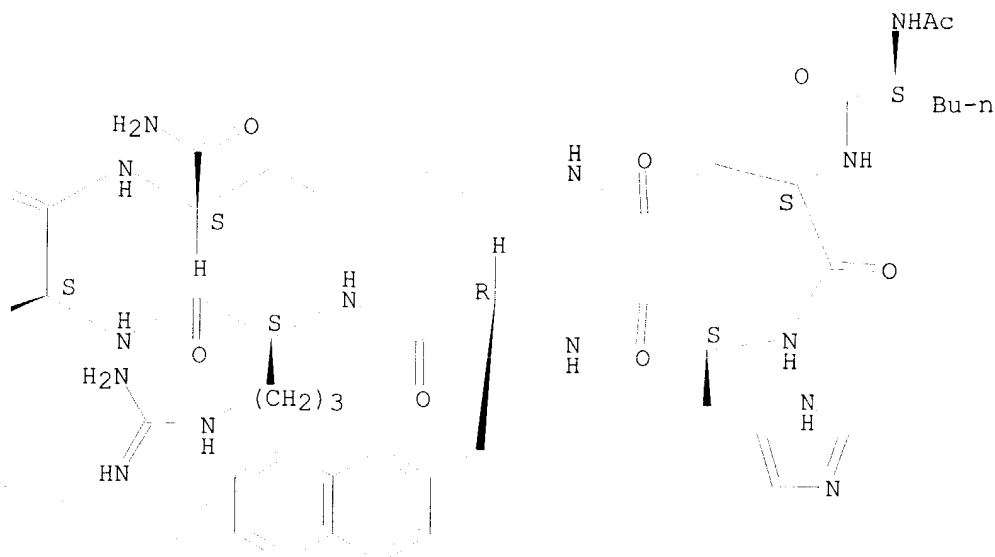




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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2001:12284 HCAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 134:76409

TITLE: Compositions and methods for treatment of sexual dysfunction

INVENTOR(S): Blood, Christine H.; Shadiack, Annette M.; Bernstein, Joanna K.; Herbert, Guy W.

PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Palatin Technologies Inc., USA

SOURCE: PCT Int. Appl., 33 pp.

CODEN: PIXXD2

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LANGUAGE: English

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AB Compns. and methods are provided for the treatment of sexual dysfunctions in mammals, such as erectile dysfunction and female sexual dysfunction. In one embodiment, a peptide-based composition including the peptide sequence Ac-Nle-cyclo(-Asp-His-D-Phe-Arg-Trp-Lys)-OH is administered. Methods of administration include injection, oral, nasal and mucosal administration.

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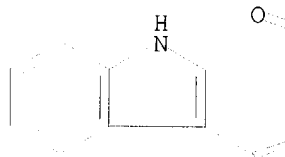
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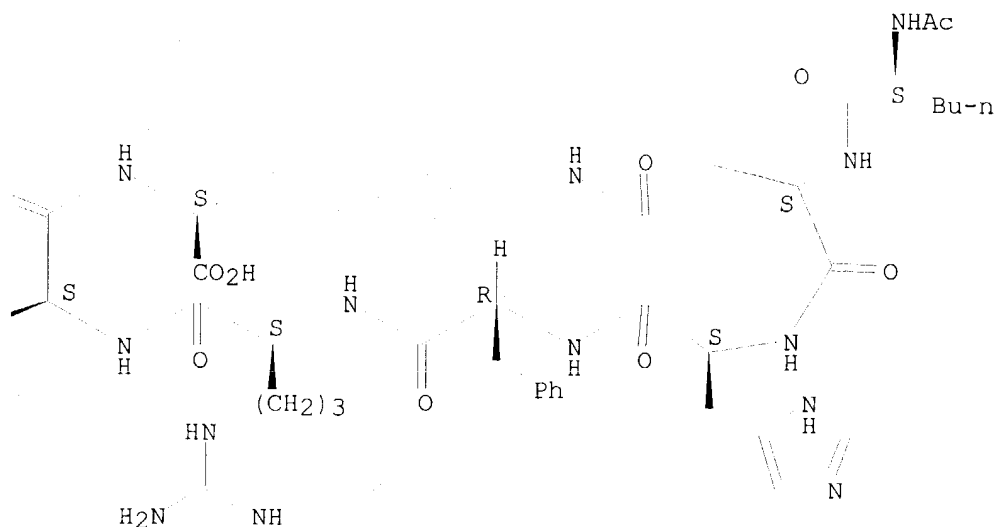
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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2001:719205 HCAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 136:32071

TITLE: Selective, high affinity peptide antagonists of α -melanotropin action at human melanocortin receptor 4: Their synthesis and biological evaluation in vitro

AUTHOR(S): Bednarek, Maria A.; MacNeil, Tanya; Kalyani, Rubana N.; Tang, Rui; Van der Ploeg, Lex H. T.; Weinberg, David H.

CORPORATE SOURCE: Departments of Medicinal Chemistry and Obesity Research, Merck Research Laboratories, Rahway, NJ, 07065, USA

SOURCE: Journal of Medicinal Chemistry (2001), 44(22), 3665-3672

CODEN: JMCMAR; ISSN: 0022-2623

PUBLISHER: American Chemical Society

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal

LANGUAGE: English

AB Peptide Ac-Nle4-cyclo(5 β -10 ϵ)(Asp5-His6-D-(2')Nal7-Arg8-Trp9-Lys10)-NH₂, compound 1, a cyclic derivative of α -melanotropin, is a nonselective high affinity antagonist at human melanocortin receptors 3 and 4, and an agonist at melanocortin receptors 1 and 5. To differentiate between the physiol. functions of these receptors, antagonists with improved receptor selectivity are needed. In this study, analogs of compound 1 without Ac-Nle4 or His6 and/or the amino group of Asp5 were prepared and tested in binding assays and in functional assays on CHO cells expressing hMC3-5R. Several of these peptides were to be selective, high affinity hMC-4R antagonists. The most interesting was compound 10, named MBP10, cyclo(6 β -10 ϵ)(succinyl6-D-(2')Nal7-Arg8-Trp9-Lys10)-NH₂, an antagonist (IC₅₀ = 0.5 nM) with 125-fold selectivity over hMC-3R (and of >300-fold selectivity over MC-1RB). This compound had no agonist activity at hMC-3R or hMC-4R and only weak agonist activity at

hMC-5R. Examination of the sequences of these new peptides revealed that the D-(2')Nal7-Arg8-Trp9 segment of peptide 1 forms the "essential core" required for high affinity and high selectivity of analogs of peptide 1 at hMC-4R, but the "extended core", His6-D-(2')Nal7-Arg8-Trp9, is necessary for the maximum affinity for hMC-3R and hMC-5R.

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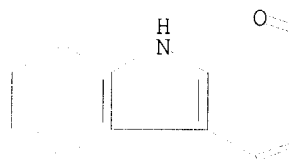
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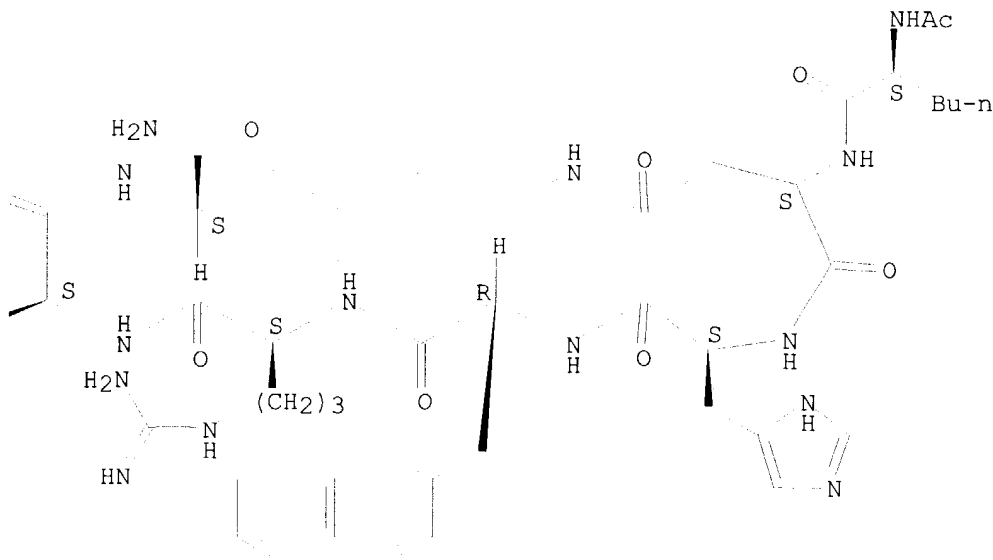
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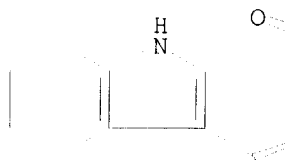
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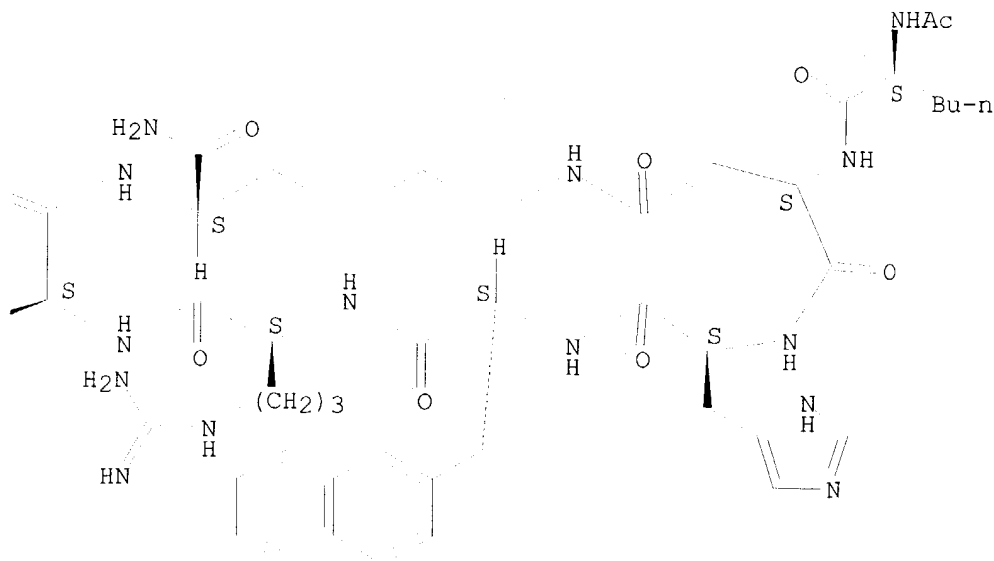
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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2002:692549 HCAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 138:313897

TITLE: Highly selective **cyclic peptides** for human melanocortin-4 receptor (MC-4 R): design, synthesis, bioactive conformation, and pharmacological

AUTHOR(S): evaluation as an anti-obesity agent
Danho, Waleed; Swistok, Joseph; Cheung, Adrian; Chu,
Xin-Jie; Wang, Yao; Chen, Li; Bartkovitz, David; Gore,
Vijay; Qi, Lida; Fry, David; Greeley, David; Sun,
Hongmao; Guenot, Jeanmarie; Franco, Lucia; Kurylko,
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CORPORATE SOURCE: Roche Research Center, Hoffmann-La Roche Inc., Nutley,
NJ, 07110, USA

SOURCE: Peptides: The Wave of the Future, Proceedings of the
Second International and the Seventeenth American
Peptide Symposium, San Diego, CA, United States, June
9-14, 2001 (2001), 701-703. Editor(s): Lebl, Michal;
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DOCUMENT TYPE: Conference

LANGUAGE: English

AB The use of a selective melanocortin receptor-4 (MCR-4) **cyclic
peptide** agonist as a pharmacol. tool in obesity and feeding
studies was evaluated, and a pharmacophore model applicable to
structure-based drug design was developed. Each of the four core amino
acids of the MTII MCR-4 agonist was systematically replaced with
conformationally constrained amino acids to evaluate the analogs in
binding and cAMP assay at the human MC-1, -3, -4, and -5 receptors. The
amino acid position occupied by His is the most critical position responsible
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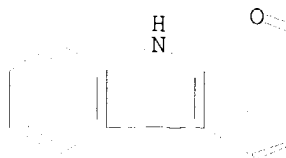
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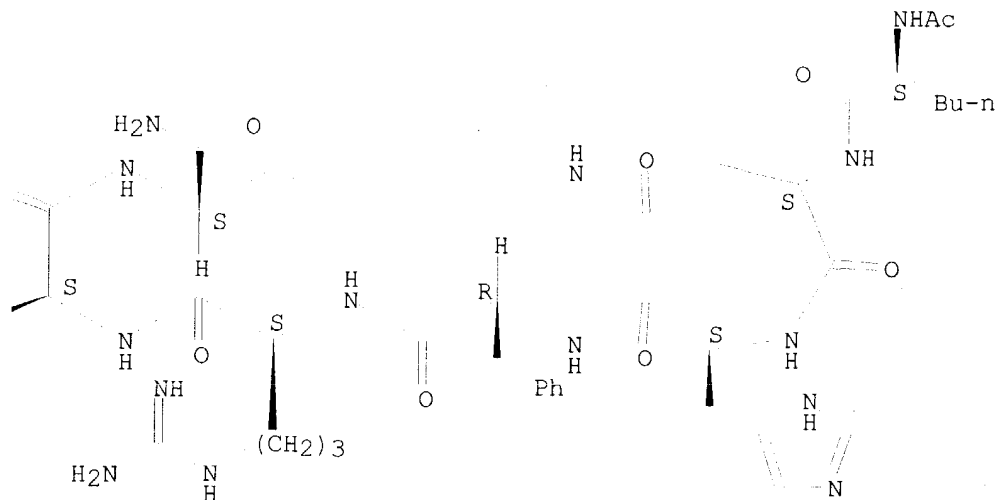
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NAME)

Absolute stereochemistry.

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L15 ANSWER 14 OF 28 HCAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2004 ACS on STN

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2003:509678 HCAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 140:175300

TITLE: Synthesis and conformational studies of **cyclic peptides** with antagonist activity at melanocortin 3 and 4 receptors

AUTHOR(S): Grieco, Paolo; Novellino, Ettore; Lavecchia, Antonio; Weinberg, David; MacNeil, Tanya; Hruby, Victor J.

CORPORATE SOURCE: Dept. of Chemistry, University of Arizona, Tucson, AZ, USA

SOURCE: Peptides 2000, Proceedings of the European Peptide Symposium, 26th, Montpellier, France, Sept. 10-15, 2000 (2001), Meeting Date 2000, 643-644. Editor(s): Martinez, Jean; Fehrentz, Jean-Alain. Editions EDK: Paris, Fr.

CODEN: 69EDWK; ISBN: 2-84254-048-4

DOCUMENT TYPE: Conference

LANGUAGE: English

AB Analogs of SHU9119 (Ac-Nle-[Asp-His-DNal-Arg-Trp-Lys]-NH₂), i.e., peptides PG-913, PG-914, and PG-915, were synthesized in which His₆ residue was replaced by the unconventional amino acids Oic, Che and Aic, resp. The compound PG-913 was more selective toward the melanocortin 3 receptor (MC3R), whereas PG-915 had selectivity on the MC4R. Mol. modeling studies showed that the selectivity for MC3R over MC4R depends on steric properties of the residue in position 6 rather than on different overall conformational behavior.

IT 168482-23-3, SHU9119

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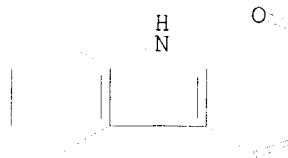
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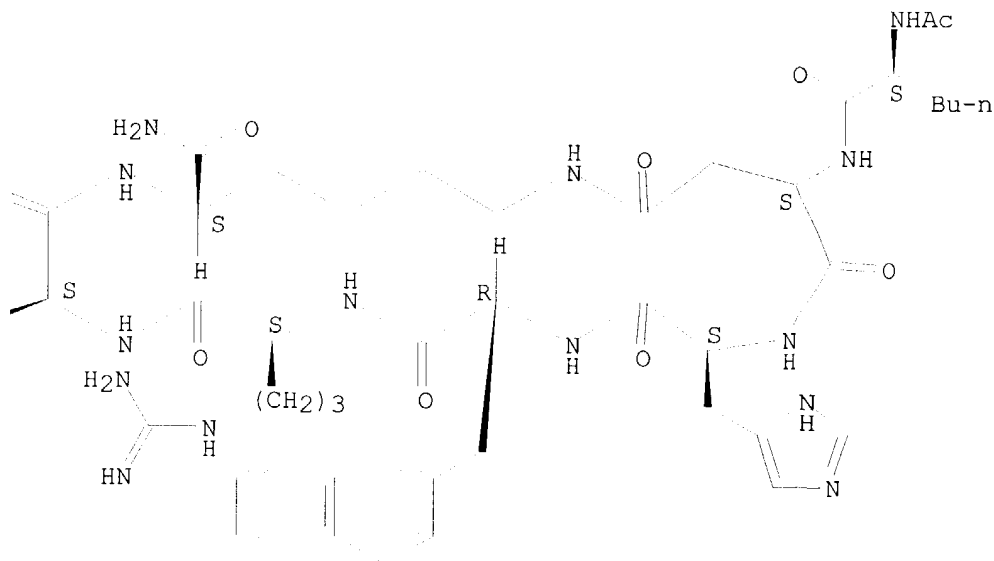
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(CA INDEX NAME)

Absolute stereochemistry. Rotation (-).

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L15 ANSWER 15 OF 28 HCAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2004 ACS on STN

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DOCUMENT NUMBER: 133:267160

TITLE: Preparation of **cyclic peptides** as melanocortin receptor ligands

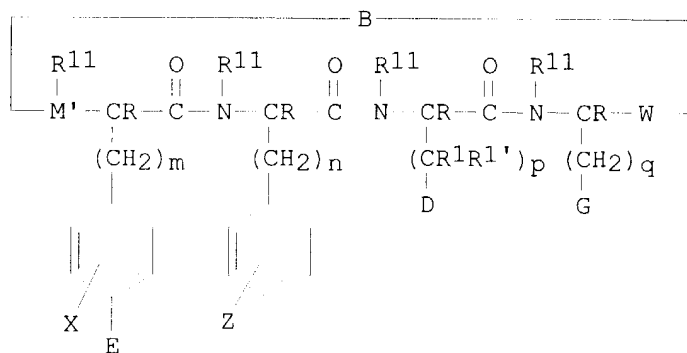
INVENTOR(S): Mazur, Adam Wieslaw; Wang, Feng; Sheldon, Russell James; Ebetino, Frank Hal

PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): The Procter & Gamble Company, USA

SOURCE: PCT Int. Appl., 66 pp.

DOCUMENT TYPE: CODEN: PIXXD2
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AB **Cyclic peptide** analogs I [m, n, q = 0-4; p = 0-5; X, E, Z = H, halo, OH, SH, NH₂, alkyl, cyano, nitro, aryl, heteroaryl, etc.; D = (un)substituted guanidino; R¹, R^{1'} = H, alkyl, aryl, heteroaryl or CR¹R^{1'} = cycloalkyl or aryl; G = optionally substituted bicyclic aryl or

heteroaryl; R, R11 = H, alkyl, alkene, alkyne, aryl, heteroaryl, cycloalkyl or R and R11 may join together to form a ring; W = covalent bond, CH₂, CO; M' = N, CH; B is an optionally substituted bridge moiety that links M' and W to form a ring and comprises a covalent bond or a ionic bond which may be substituted by ≤ 3 amino acid residues] were prepared for use in treating diseases that are mediated by the melanocortin (MC)-4 and/or the MC-3 receptor. Thus, Ac-a[**DYfRWGK**]-NH₂ (brackets denote amino acid points of cyclization) was prepared by the solid-phase method and evaluated for melanocortin functional activity and selectivity.

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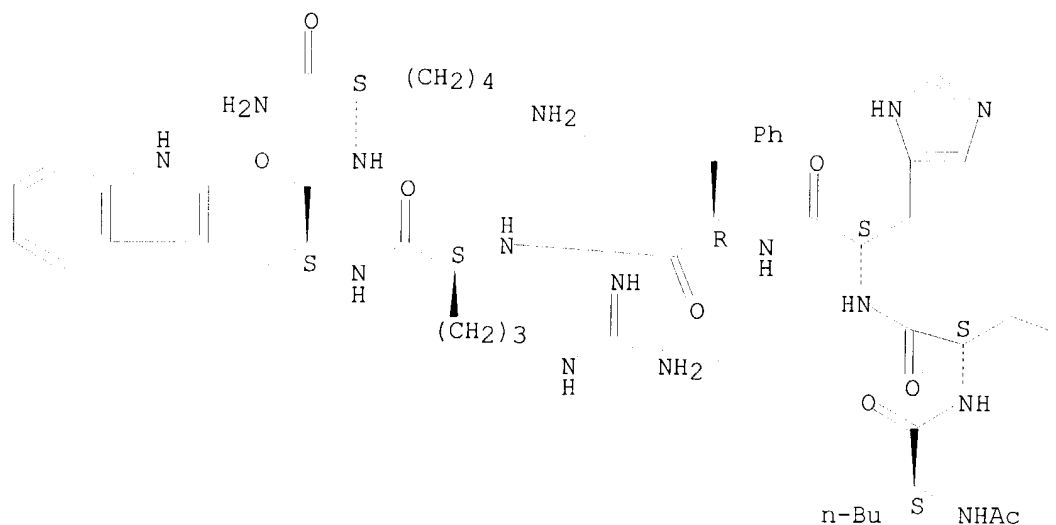
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(preparation of **cyclic peptides** as melanocortin receptor ligands)

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CN L-Lysinamide, N-acetyl-L-norleucyl-L- α -aspartyl-L-histidyl-D-phenylalanyl-L-arginyl-L-tryptophyl- (9CI) (CA INDEX NAME)

Absolute stereochemistry.

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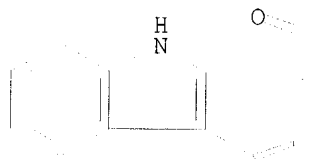


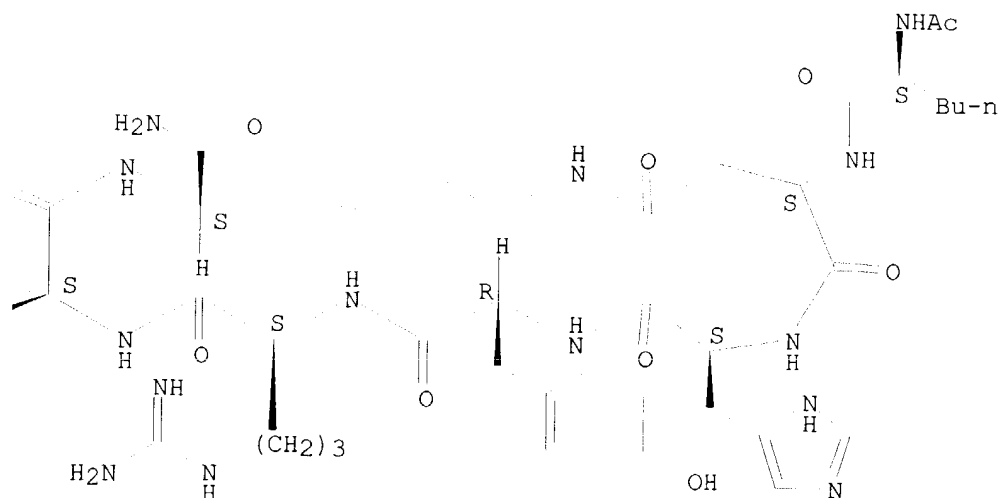
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Absolute stereochemistry.





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L15 ANSWER 16 OF 28 HCAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2004 ACS on STN

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2000:401591 HCAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 133:38707

TITLE: Composition and method for regulation of body weight and associated conditions by administering proopiomelanocortin peptides or analogs thereof

INVENTOR(S): Brennan, Miles B.; Hochgeschwender, Ute

PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Eleanor Roosevelt Institute, USA; Oklahoma Medical Research Foundation

SOURCE: PCT Int. Appl., 168 pp.

CODEN: PIXXD2

DOCUMENT TYPE: Patent

LANGUAGE: English

FAMILY ACC. NUM. COUNT: 1

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OTHER SOURCE(S): MARPAT 133:38707

AB Described are methods and compns. for regulating body weight and/or regulating the rate of weight gain or loss, and particularly, for treating or preventing obesity. Specifically, methods of administering varying levels of **circulating** proopiomelanocortin **peptides** or analogs thereof to an animal, alone or in combination with leptin or other body weight regulating agents are disclosed. Methods and compns. for treating a variety of disorders associated with or caused by undesirable body weight are also described. Also described are methods for identifying compds. useful for regulation of body weight and associated conditions. In particular,

methods

are disclosed for identification of compds. that preferentially bind to and/or activate peripheral melanocortin receptors and which minimize binding and/or activation of central melanocortin receptors. Also described is a genetically modified non-human animal model for studying the peripheral and central pathways of energy homeostasis. Also disclosed are methods of identifying compds. for regulating such pathways and a POMC mutant mouse. The compns. of the invention include food and pharmaceutical compns.

IT **168482-23-3**

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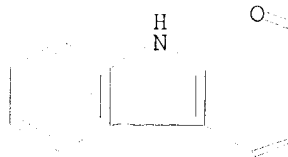
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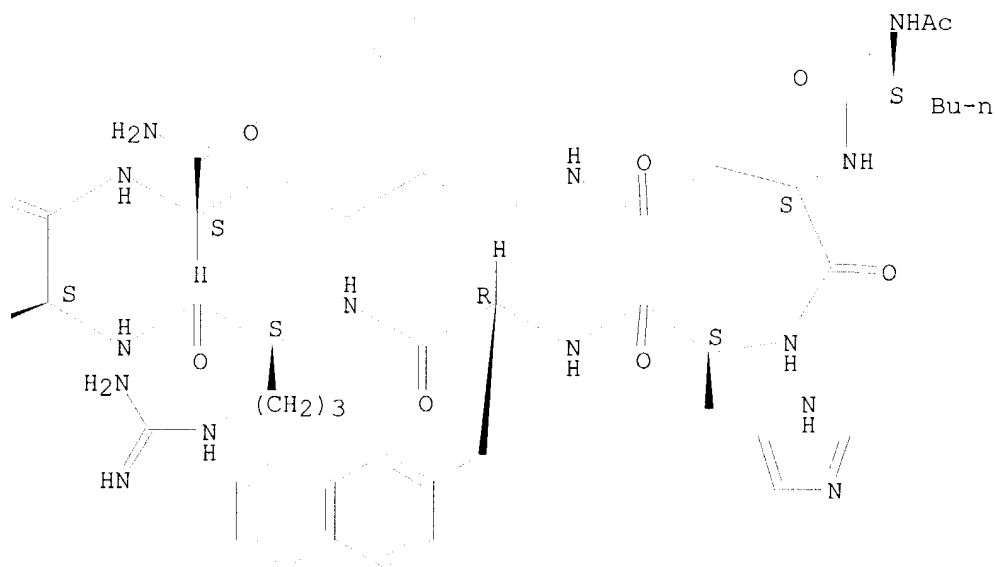
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Absolute stereochemistry. Rotation (-).

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L15 ANSWER 17 OF 28 HCAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2004 ACS on STN

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1999:508309 HCAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 131:252673

TITLE: Structure-function studies on the **cyclic peptide** MT-II, lactam derivative of α -melanotropin

AUTHOR(S): Bednarek, Maria A.; Silva, Maria V.; Arison, Byron; MacNeil, Tanya; Kalyani, Rubana N.; Huang, Ruey-Ruey C.; Weinberg, David H.

CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Medicinal Chemistry, Merck Research Laboratories, Rahway, NJ, 07065, USA

SOURCE: Peptides (New York) (1999), 20(3), 401-409
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PUBLISHER: Elsevier Science Inc.

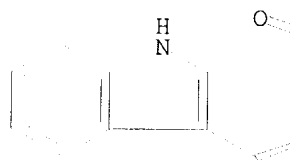
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal

LANGUAGE: English

AB The alanine-substituted and the retro, enantio, and retro-enantio analogs of MT-II, a potent agonist at melanocortin (MC) receptors, were prepared by solid-phase synthesis and evaluated for their ability to bind and activate human MC3, MC4, and MC5 receptors. Replacement of His with Ala resulted in [Ala6]-MT-II with affinity and agonist potency at human MC3, MC4, and MC5 receptors similar to MT-II. Substitution of Arg with Ala gave compound 100-fold less potent than MT-II, but replacement of Phe of Trp with Ala led to inactive compds. (at the micromolar concns.). The significant drop of potency of the retro, enantio, and retro-enantio analogs of MT-II, demonstrated a crucial role of side-chain topol., and to a lesser degree, of peptide backbone in interactions of MT-II with the melanocortin receptors. The NMR anal. of MT-II suggested involvement of Phe and Arg

backbone.
IT 121062-08-6, MT-II 168482-23-3, SHU9119
RL: BPR (Biological process); BSU (Biological study, unclassified); PRP
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(structure-function studies on **cyclic peptide**
MT-II, lactam derivative of α -melanotropin)
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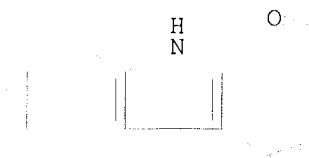
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- Thiol Group:** A thiol group (-SH) is attached to one of the sulfur atoms.
- Pyrimidine Ring:** A pyrimidine ring is attached to the molecule via a thioether linkage.
- Functional Groups:** The structure includes an amine group (H₂N), a carboxylate group (COO⁻), and a thiol group (-SH).
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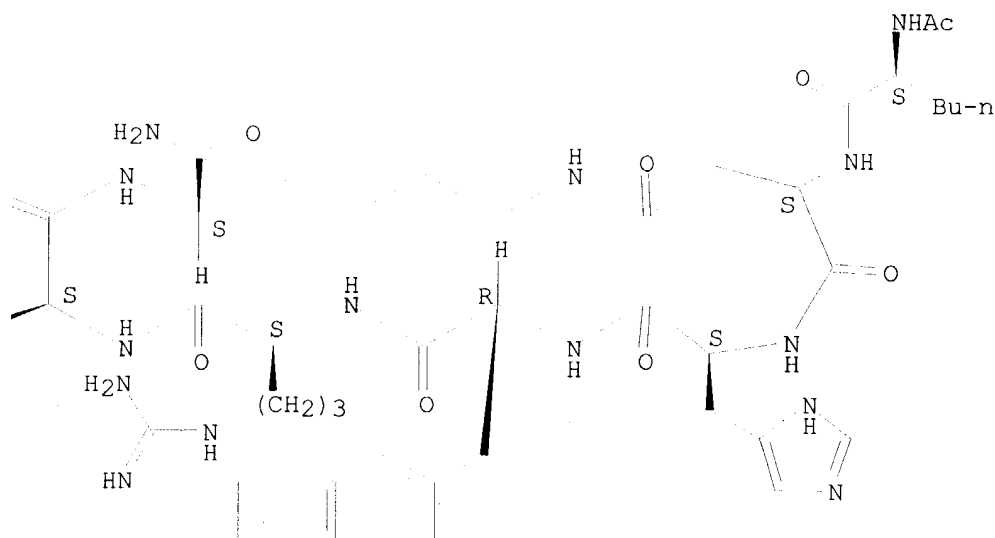
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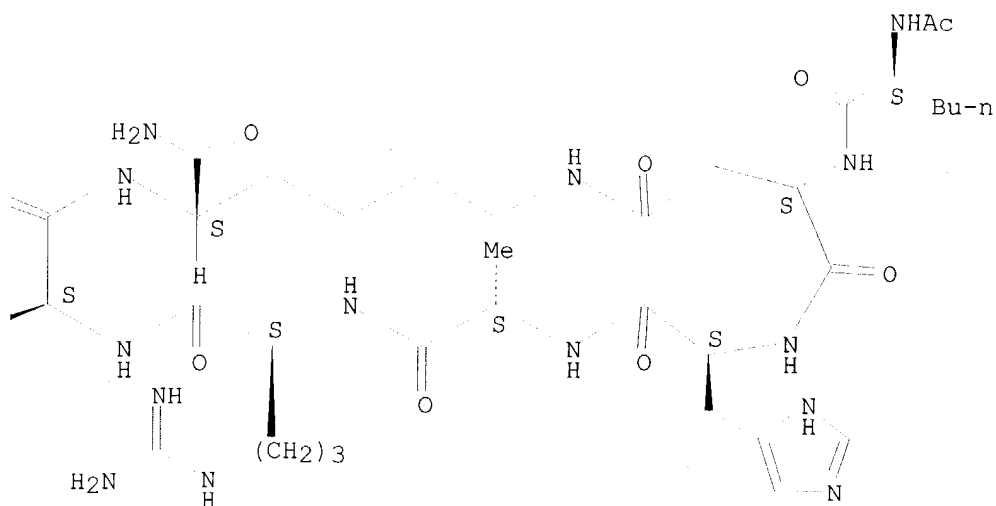
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MT-II, lactam derivative of α -melanotropin)

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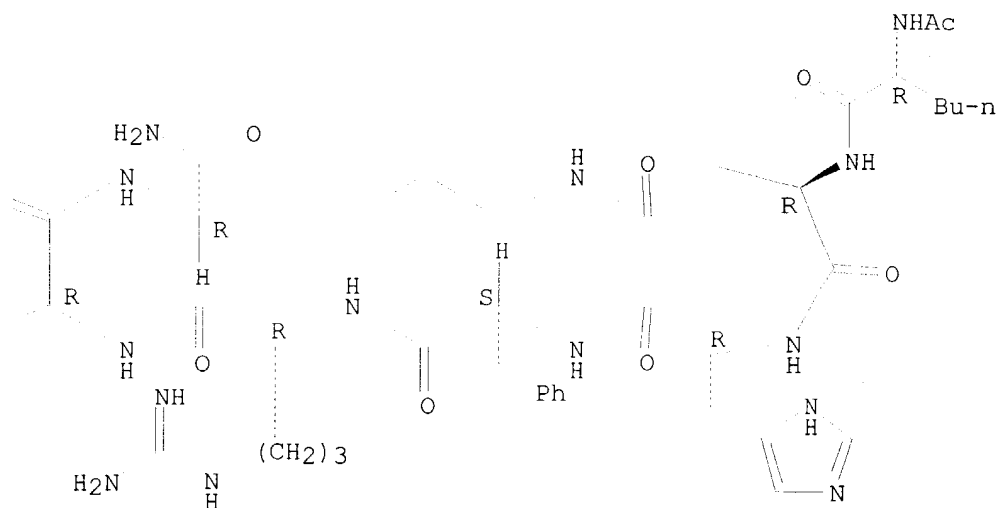
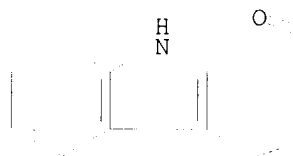
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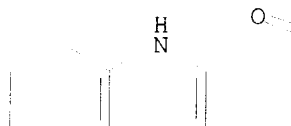


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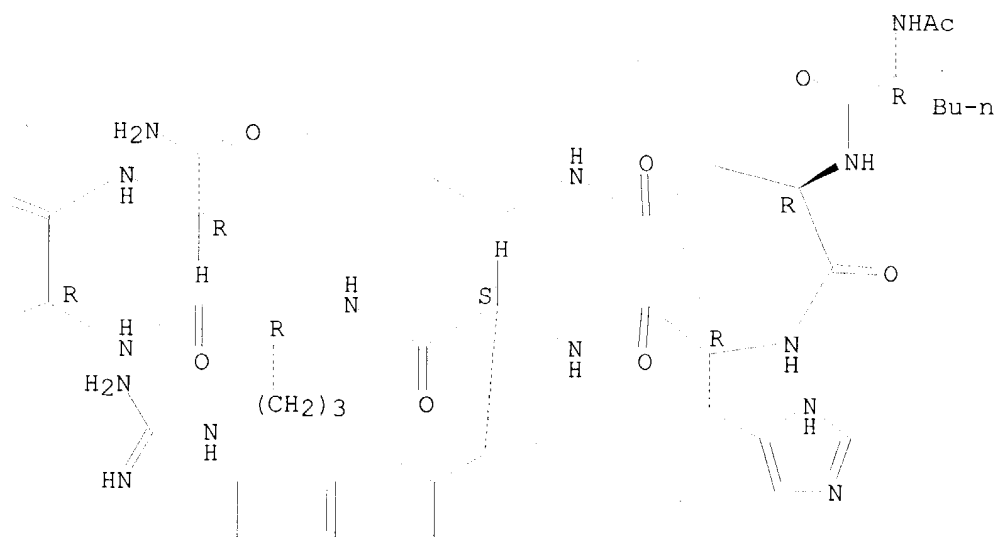
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L15 ANSWER 18 OF 28 HCAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2004 ACS on STN

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1998:192146 HCAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 128:257693

TITLE: Preparation of peptides having potent antagonist and agonist bioactivities at melanocortin receptors

INVENTOR(S): Hadley, Mac E.; Hruby, Victor J.; Sharma, Shubh D.

PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): University of Arizona, Board of Regents, USA

SOURCE: U.S., 6 pp.

CODEN: USXXAM

DOCUMENT TYPE: Patent

LANGUAGE: English

FAMILY ACC. NUM. COUNT: 2

PATENT INFORMATION:

PATENT NO.	KIND	DATE	APPLICATION NO.	DATE
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Ac-Nle-Asp-His-X-Arg-Trp-Lys-NH₂ I

AB **Cyclic lactam peptides I** [X = D-3-(2-naphthyl)alanine (D-2-Nal), D-p-iodophenylalanine [D-(p-I)Phe]] provided potent and specific antagonists of the two neural melanocortin receptors and of the peripheral receptor. In particular, peptide I (X = D-2-Nal) was a potent antagonist of the MC3 and MC4 receptors with partial agonist activity, and a full agonist of the MC1 and MC5 receptors. Peptide I [X = D-(p-I)Phe] was a potent antagonist of the MC3 and MC4 receptors with partial agonist activity. Both peptides I have antagonist activities in the classical frog skin bioassay for pigmentation at the MC1 receptor.

IT **168482-22-2P 168482-23-3P**

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(preparation of peptides having potent antagonist and agonist bioactivities at melanocortin receptors)

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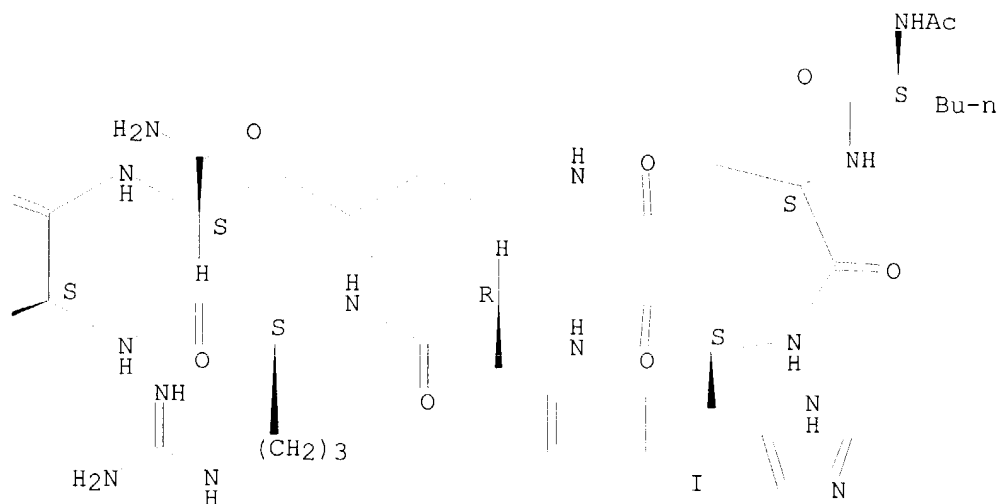
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Absolute stereochemistry. Rotation (-).

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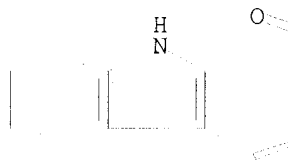


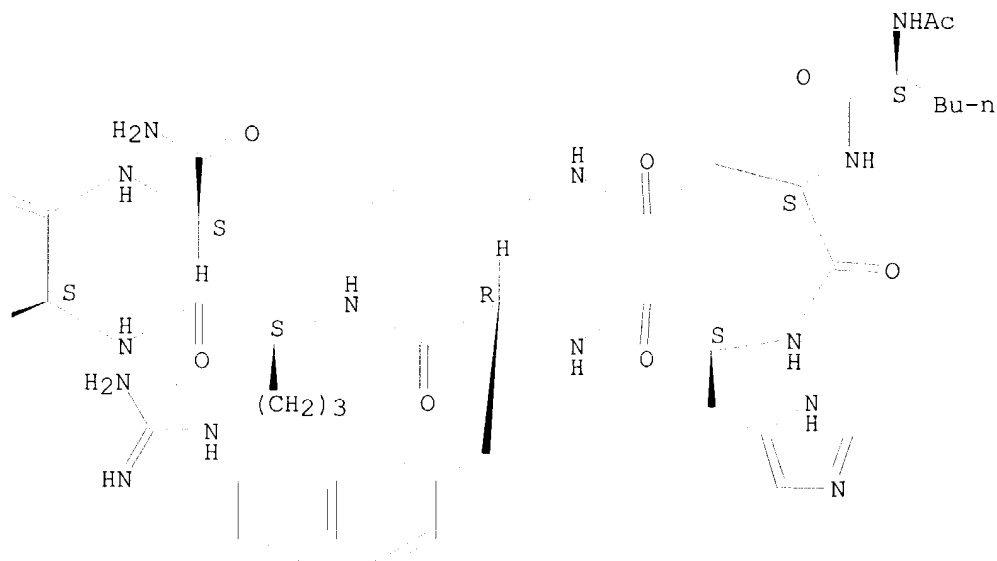
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Absolute stereochemistry. Rotation (-).

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 ACCESSION NUMBER: 1999:388818 HCAPLUS
 DOCUMENT NUMBER: 131:19304
 TITLE: Linear and cyclic analogs of alpha-MSH fragments with extraordinary potency
 INVENTOR(S): Hruby, Victor J.; Al-Obeidi, Fahad A.; Hadley, Mac E.
 PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): University Patents, Inc., USA
 SOURCE: Can., 42 pp.
 CODEN: CAXXA4
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 LANGUAGE: English
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AB Cyclic alpha-MSH analogs are claimed for the manufacture of medicaments having melanotropic activity. Thus, Ac-[Nle4,D-Phe7,Lys10,Gly11]-alpha-MSH4-13NH2 was prepared by the solid-phase method. This linear peptide and its cyclized form showed prolonged melanocyte-stimulating activity in frog and lizard assays.

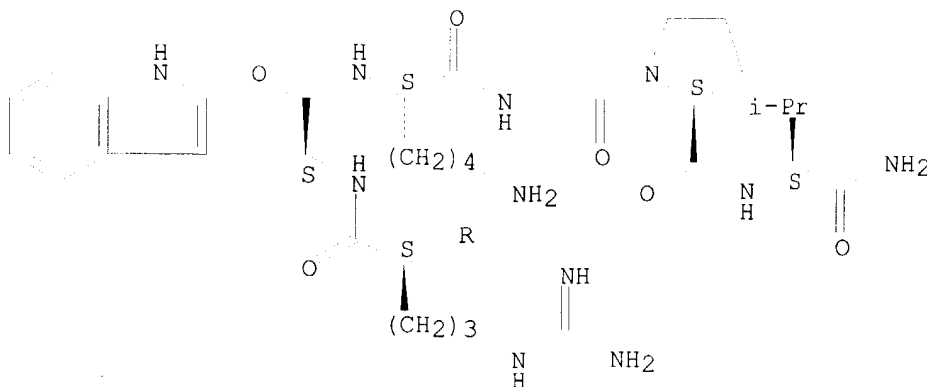
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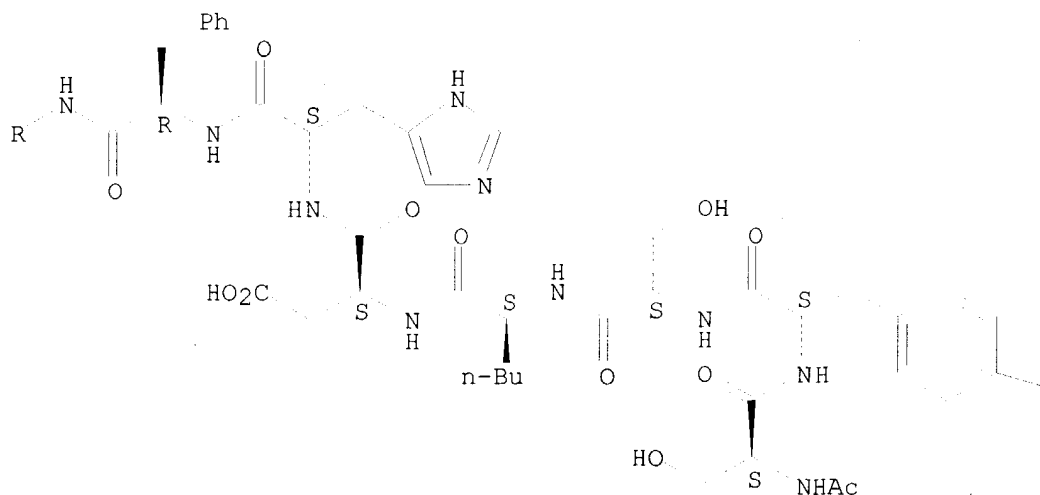
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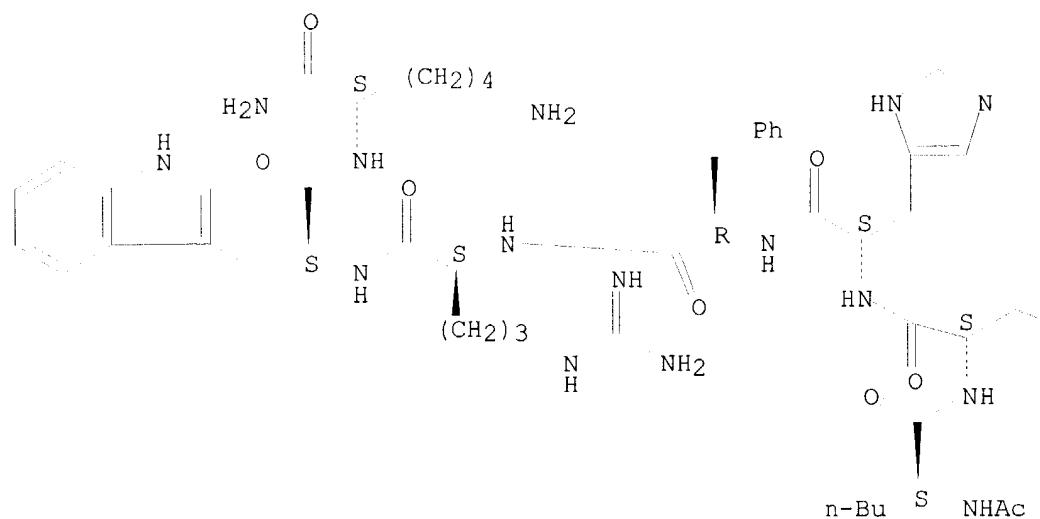


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Absolute stereochemistry.

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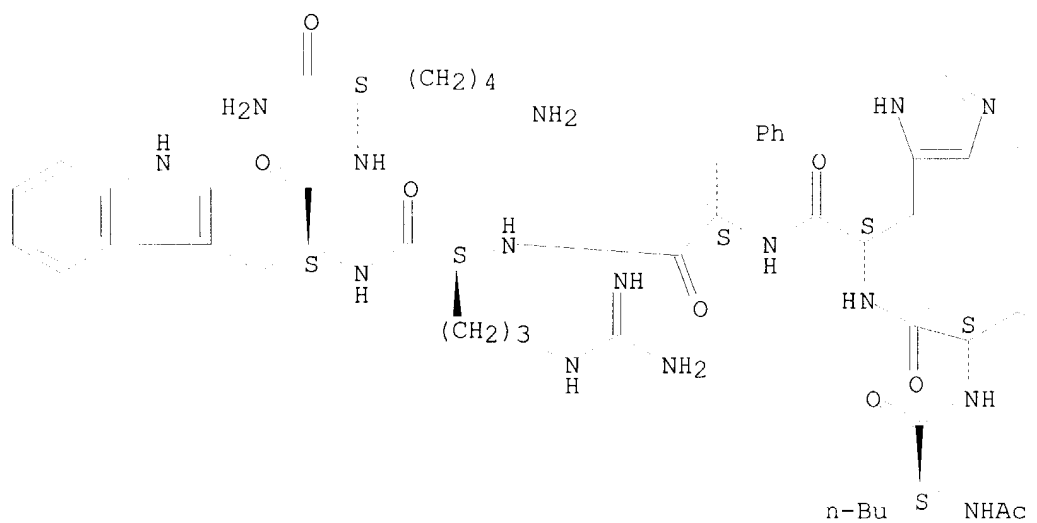


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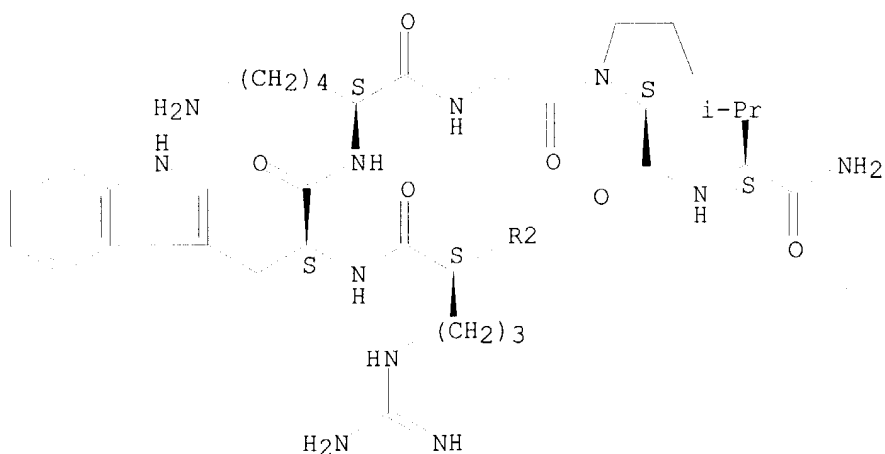


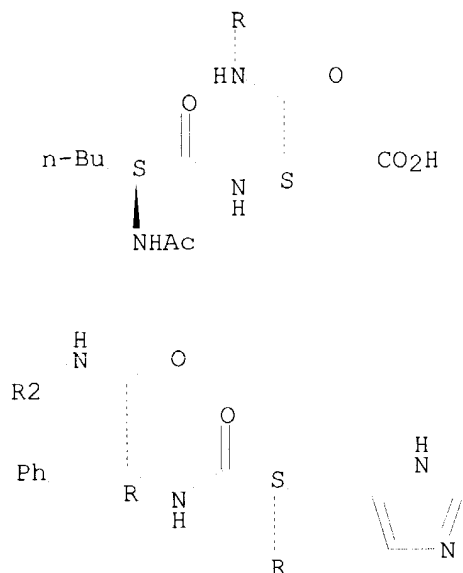
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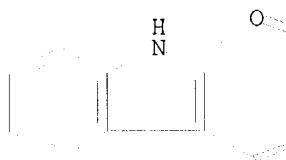


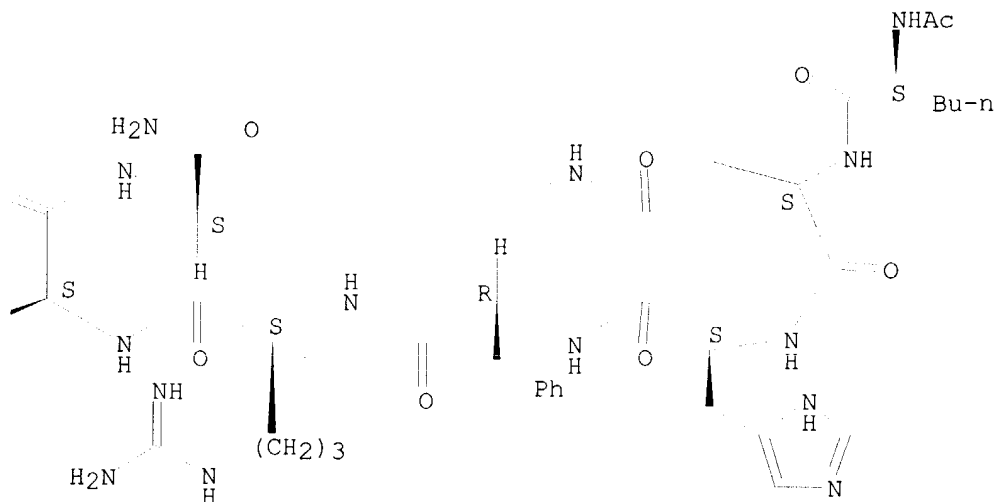


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Absolute stereochemistry.





L15 ANSWER 20 OF 28 HCAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2004 ACS on STN

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1998:507697 HCAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 129:245475

TITLE: Synthesis of **cyclic α -MSH peptides**

AUTHOR(S): Schaaper, Wim M. M.; Adan, Roger A. H.; Posthuma, Truus A.; Oosterom, Julia; Gispen, Willem-Hendrik; Meloen, Rob H.

CORPORATE SOURCE: ID-DLO, Institute for Animal Science and Health, Lelystad, 8200 AB, Neth.

SOURCE: Letters in Peptide Science (1998), 5(2-3), 205-208
CODEN: LPSCEM; ISSN: 0929-5666

PUBLISHER: Kluwer Academic Publishers

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal

LANGUAGE: English

AB Cyclic analogs of α -MSH(1-13) and of α -MSH(4-10) have been synthesized. The peptides were synthesized using Fmoc chemical, and improvements in the cyclization step were made. For example, side chains of Asp5 and Lys10 in the deprotected peptide were coupled in DMF to form a cyclic lactam, using an excess of PyBOP reagent and DIEA as a base. The cyclization reaction was completed within 1 h and was almost quant. A cyclic analog of α -MSH, containing a disulfide bridge, was also synthesized. The peptides were tested for their selectivity for the rat MC4 receptor. Substitution of Phe7 of α -MSH, and cyclization of the peptide dramatically influenced the selectivity for the rMC4 receptor.

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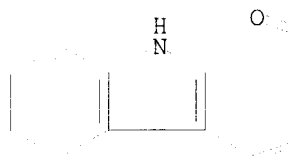
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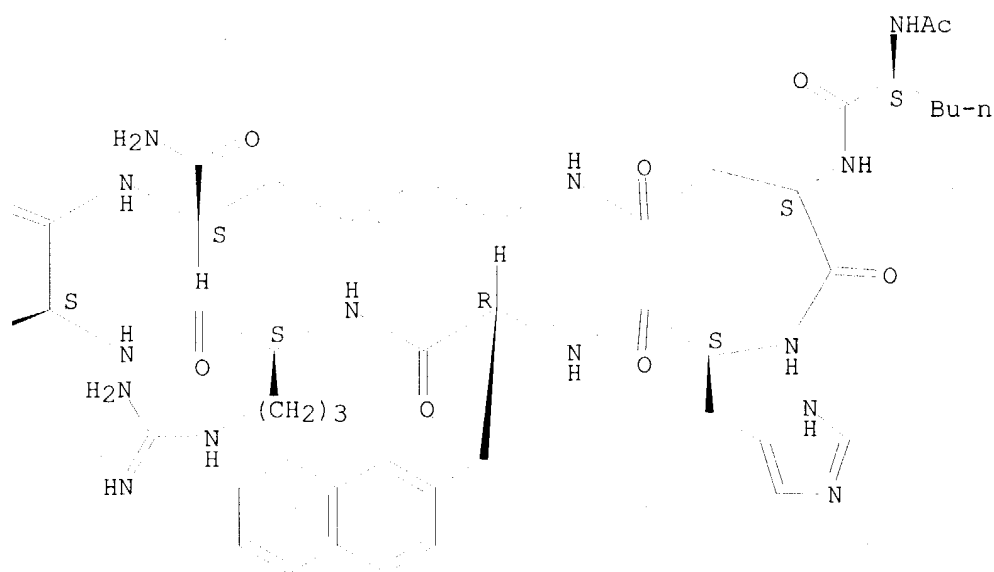
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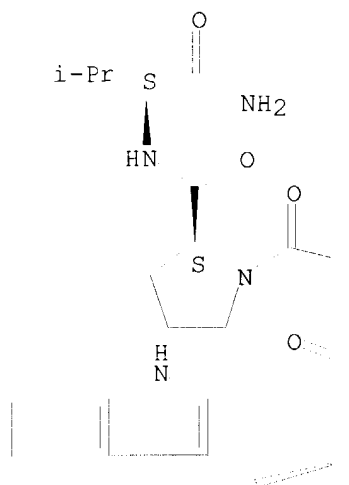


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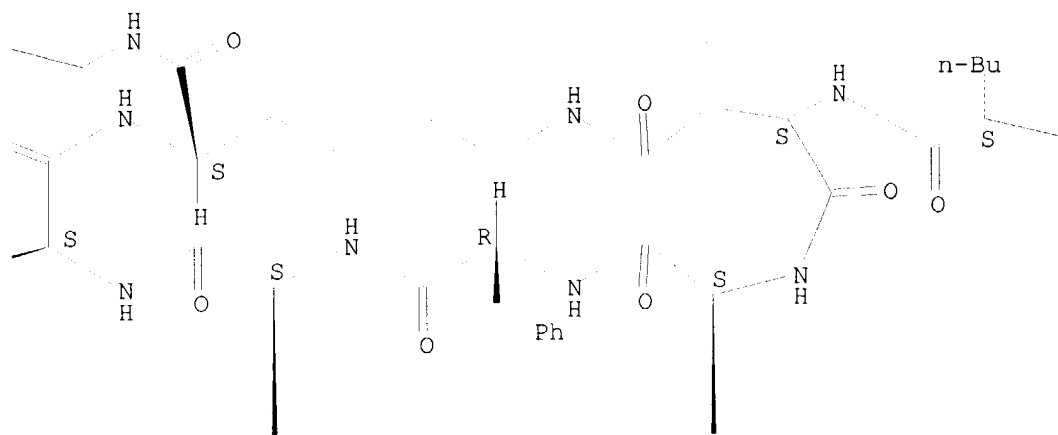
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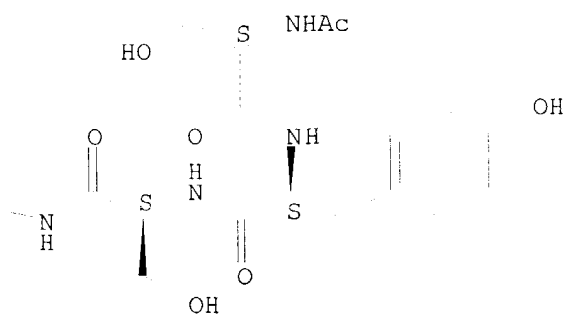
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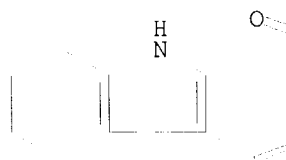
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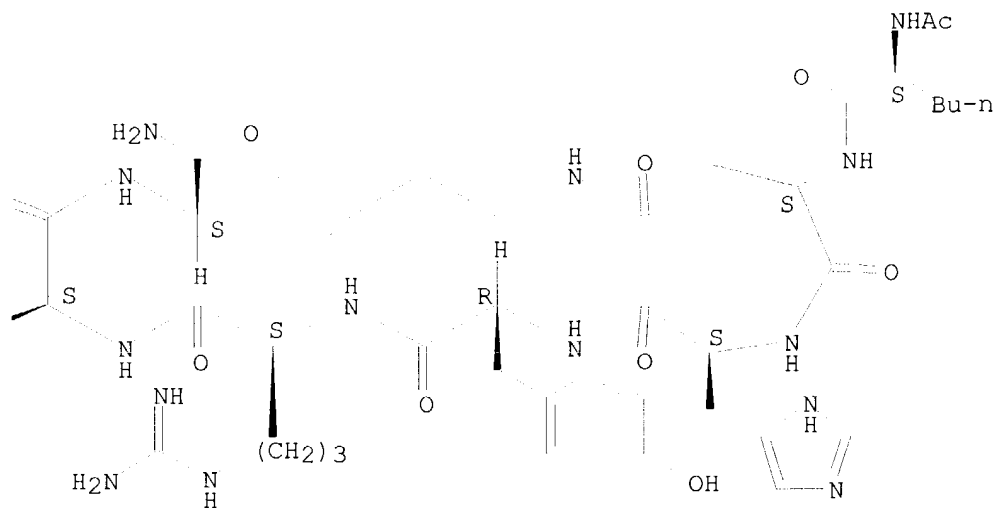


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ACCESSION NUMBER: 1998:34211 HCAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 128:190087

TITLE: Octanol-water partition of nonzwitterionic peptides: predictive power of a molecular size-based model

AUTHOR(S): Buchwald, Peter; Bodor, Nicholas

CORPORATE SOURCE: Center for Drug Discovery, University of Florida, Health Science Center, Gainesville, FL, 32610-0497, USA

SOURCE: Proteins: Structure, Function, and Genetics (1998), 30(1), 86-99

CODEN: PSFGEY; ISSN: 0887-3585

PUBLISHER: Wiley-Liss, Inc.

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal

LANGUAGE: English

AB A remarkably simple, mol. size-based model developed to predict octanol-water partition coeffs. for organic compds. is tested on a set of 188 neutral peptides with available exptl. partition data. Despite using only two parameters, it gives a promising correlation ($r^2 = 0.914$; $\sigma = 0.455$, $F = 1978.0$), and predictions are in a realistic range even for larger peptides (cyclosporin, melanotan, sandostatin) where common, overparametrized fragment methods become quite unreliable. Ion-pair partitioning and the extraction constant formalism is briefly reviewed to describe the sigmoidal lipophilicity profile of ionizable, nonzwitterionic peptides. It seems possible to extend the present model to estimate apparent partition coeffs. measured around neutral pH and physiol. conditions for monoionic peptides; however, as no standard conditions are yet defined and only relatively small number of exptl. data are available, the situation here is more complex.

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(octanol-water partition of nonzwitterionic peptides and predictive power of mol. size-based model)

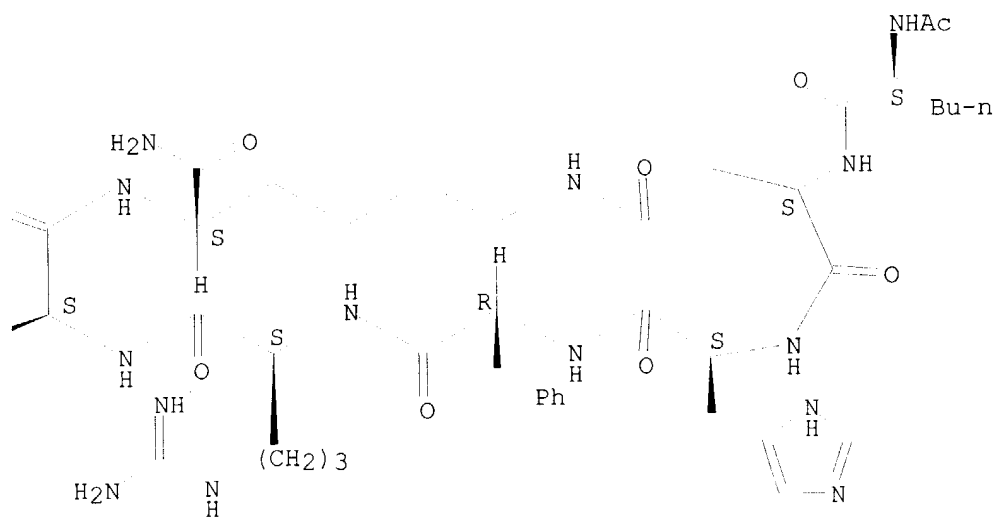
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 TITLE: Preparation and biological activity of cyclic bridged α -MSH analogs
 INVENTOR(S): Hadley, Mac E.; Hruby, Victor J.; Sharma, Shubh D.
 PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Competitive Technologies, Inc., USA
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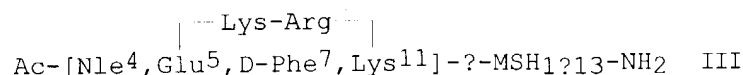
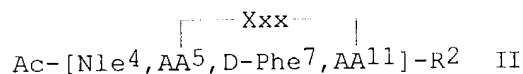
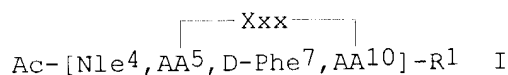
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AB Novel cyclic bridged α -MSH analogs I and II (AA5, AA10, AA11 = L- or D-amino acid containing ω -amino or carboxyl group in the side chain; Xxx = 1-5 α -amino acid residues, each of which may be of L- or D-configuration, or linear or branched spacer chain containing terminal amino and/or carboxy groups; R1, R2 designates α -MSH1-13NH2, α -MSH1-12NH2, α -MSH1-11NH2, α -MSH4-13NH2, α -MSH4-10NH2) are described herein. With the described analogs, when administered in pharmaceutical compns., it is now possible to achieve normalization of hypopigmentation dysfunctions and to achieve darkening of the skin in the total absence of sun or UV light irradiation. Thus, **cyclic peptide** III was prepared by standard solid-phase methods and displayed α -MSH relative potencies of 100 in a frog skin assay and 5 in a lizard skin assay.

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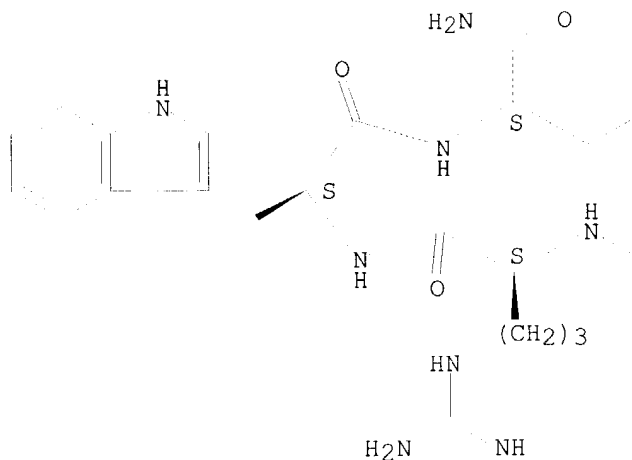
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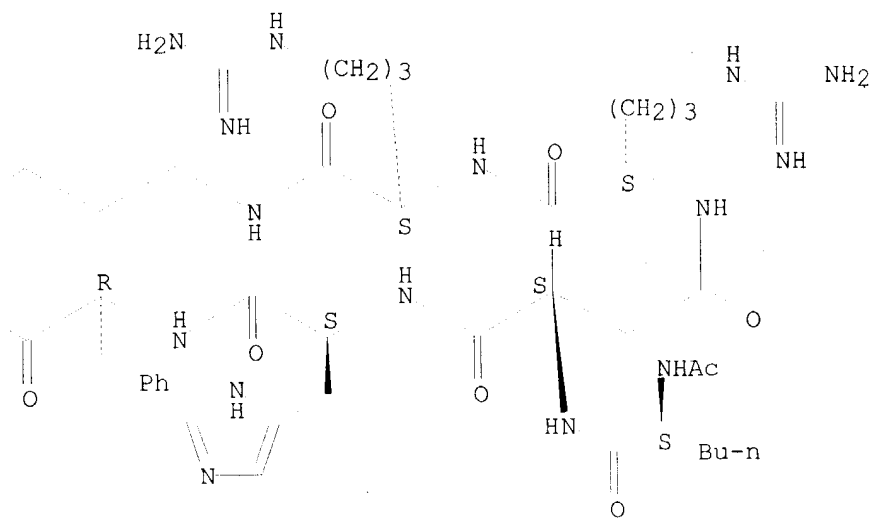
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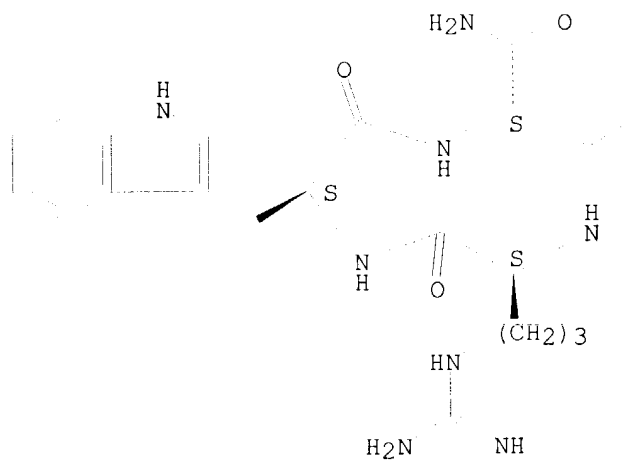
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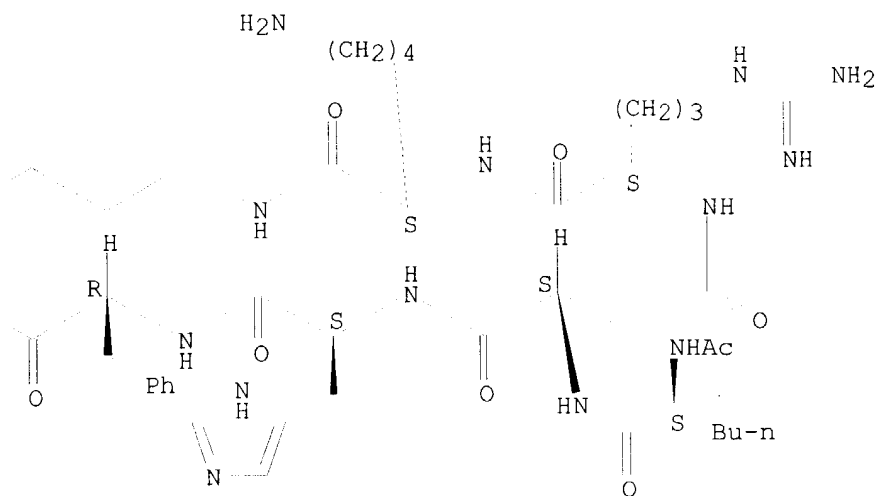
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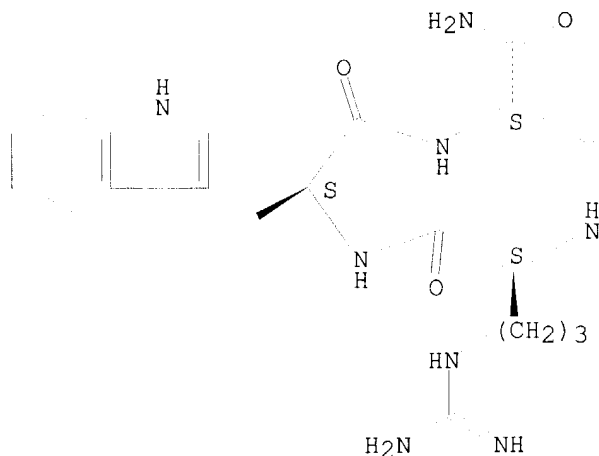
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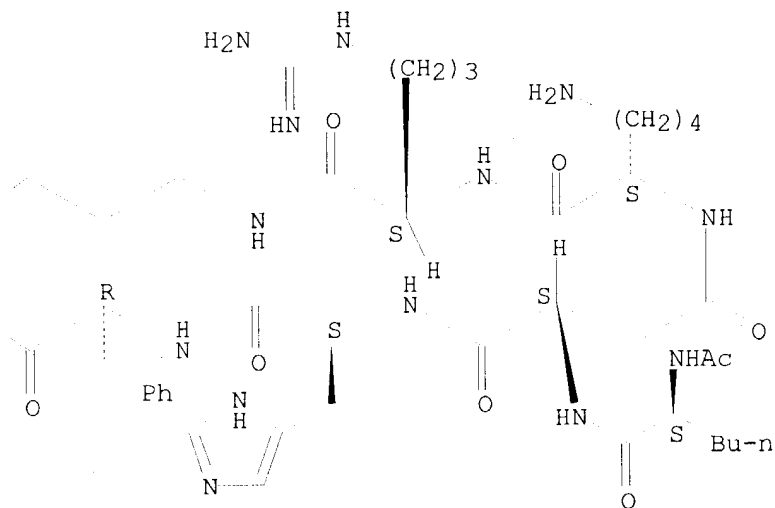
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Absolute stereochemistry.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 1997:483379 HCAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 127:117483

TITLE: β -Methylation of the Phe7 and Trp9 melanotropin side chain pharmacophores affects ligand-receptor interactions and prolonged biological activity

AUTHOR(S): Haskell-Luevano, Carrie; Toth, Kate; Boteju, Lakmal; Job, Constatin; de Castrucci, Ana Maria; Hadley, Mac E.; Hruby, Victor J.

CORPORATE SOURCE: Departments of Chemistry and Anatomy, University of

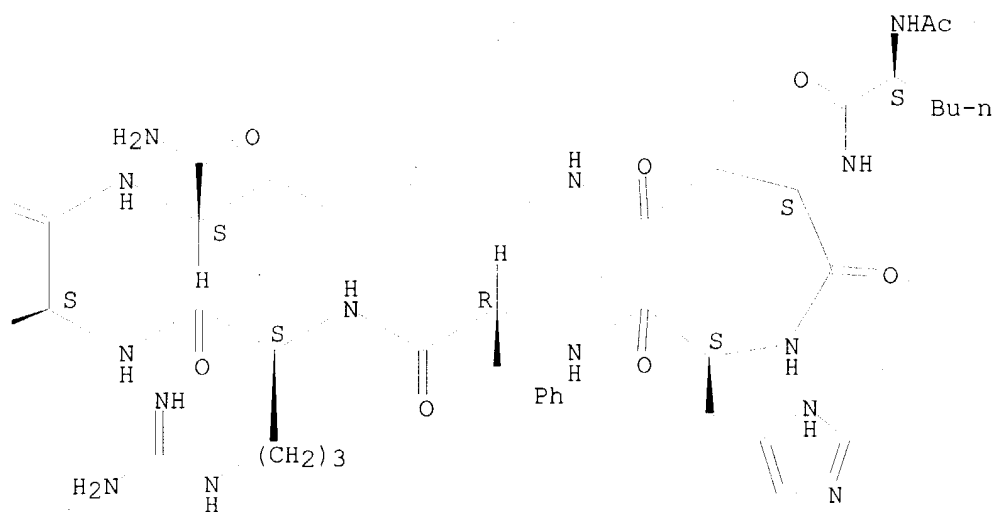
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 Journal of Medicinal Chemistry (1997), 40(17),
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 DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal
 LANGUAGE: English

AB Topog. modified melanotropin side chain pharmacophore residues Phe7 and Trp9 in a **cyclic peptide** template (Ac-Nle4-c[Asp-His-Xaa7-Arg-Yaa9-Lys]-NH2) and Phe7 in a linear peptide template (Ac-Ser-Tyr-Ser-Nle4-Glu-His-Xaa7-Arg-Trp-Gly-Lys-Pro-Val-NH2) result in differences in potency and prolonged biol. activity in the frog and lizard skin bioassays. These topog. modifications included the four isomers of β -methylphenylalanine (β -MePhe)7 and β -methyltryptophan (β -MeTrp)9 and the two isomers of 1,2,3,4-tetrahydro- β -carboline (Tca).9. Modifications in the cyclic template resulted in up to a 1000-fold difference in potency for the β -MePhe7 stereoisomeric peptides; up to a 476-fold difference in potency resulted for the β -MeTrp9 peptides, and about a 50-fold difference between the Tca9-containing peptides. Up to a 40-fold difference in potency resulted for the β -MePhe7 stereoisomeric peptides using the linear template in these assays. The relative potency ranking for modifications in the cyclic template of β -MePhe7 were 2R,3S > 2S,3S = 2S,3R > 2R,3R in the frog assay and 2S,3R > 2R,3S > 2S,3S > 2R,3R in the lizard assay. The relative potencies for modifications in the cyclic template of β -MeTrp9 were 2R,3S > 2R,3R > 2S,3S » 2S,3R in the frog assay and 2S,3S = 2R,3R > 2R,3S > 2S,3R in the lizard assay. The relative potencies for modifications in the cyclic template of Tca9 were DTca > LTca in both assays. Significant differences in prolonged (residual) activities were also observed for these modified peptides and were dependent upon stereochem. of the β -Me amino acid, peptide template, and bioassay system. Furthermore, comparisons of β -MeTrp9 stereoisomeric peptides on the frog, lizard, and human MC1 receptors suggest that structure-activity relationships on both the classical frog and lizard skin bioassays do not necessarily predict corresponding SAR profiles for the human melanocortin receptors, indicating a remarkable species specificity of the MC1 receptor requirements.

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 (β -methylation of the Phe7 and Trp9 melanotropin side chain pharmacophores affects ligand-receptor interactions and prolonged biol. activity)

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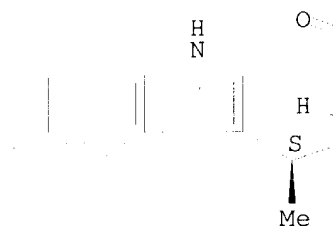
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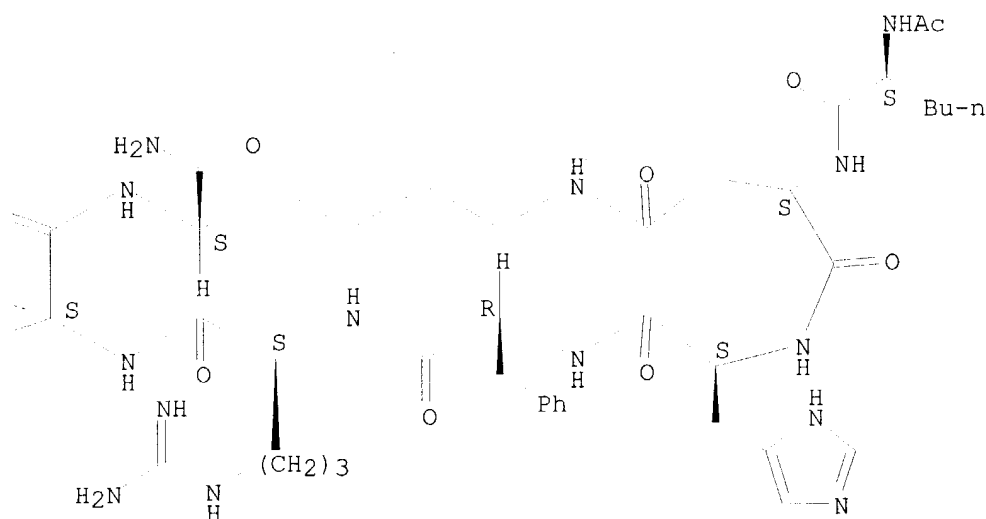
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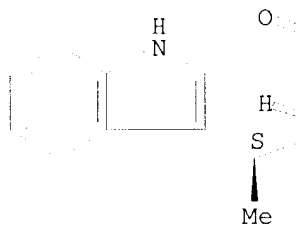


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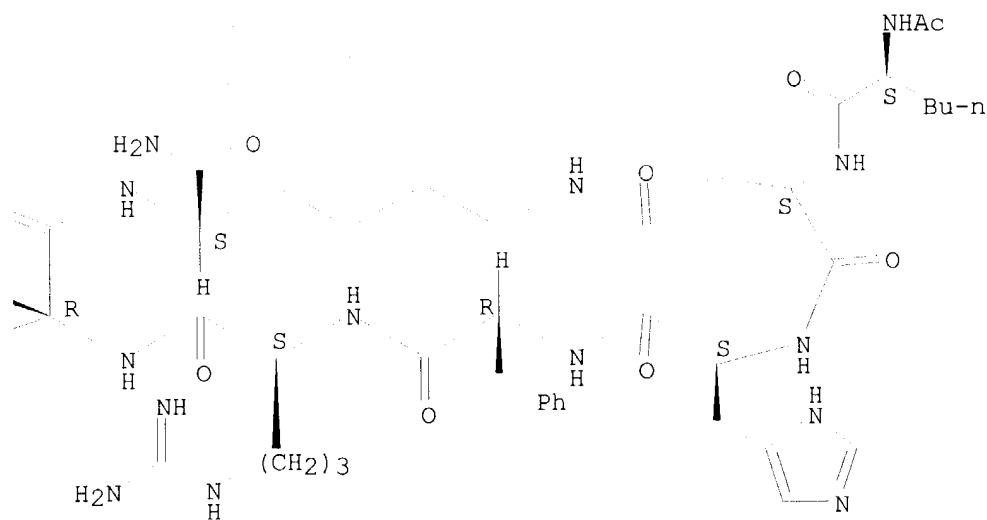
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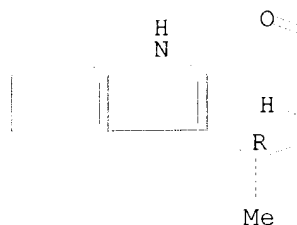


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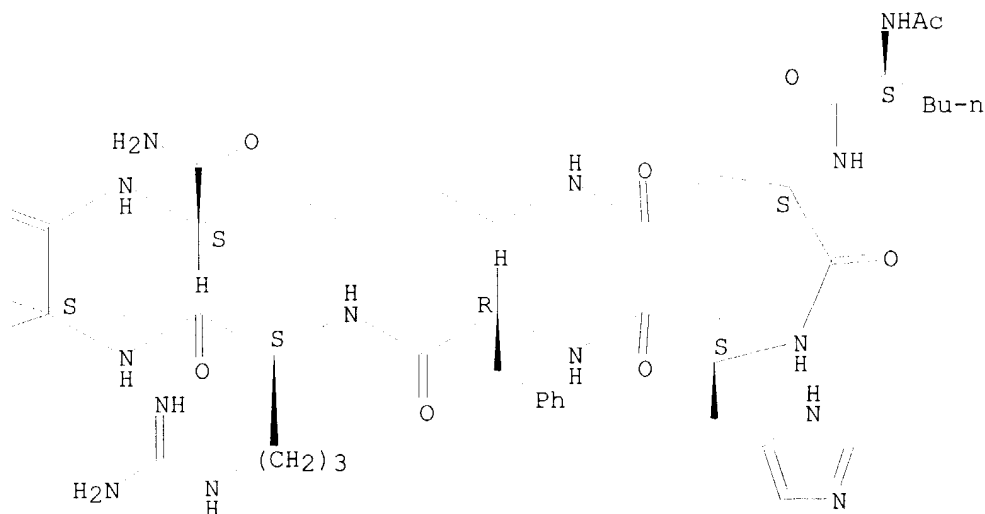
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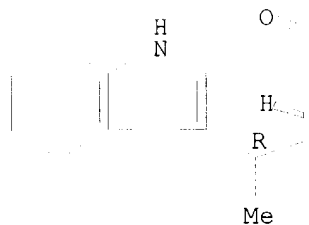
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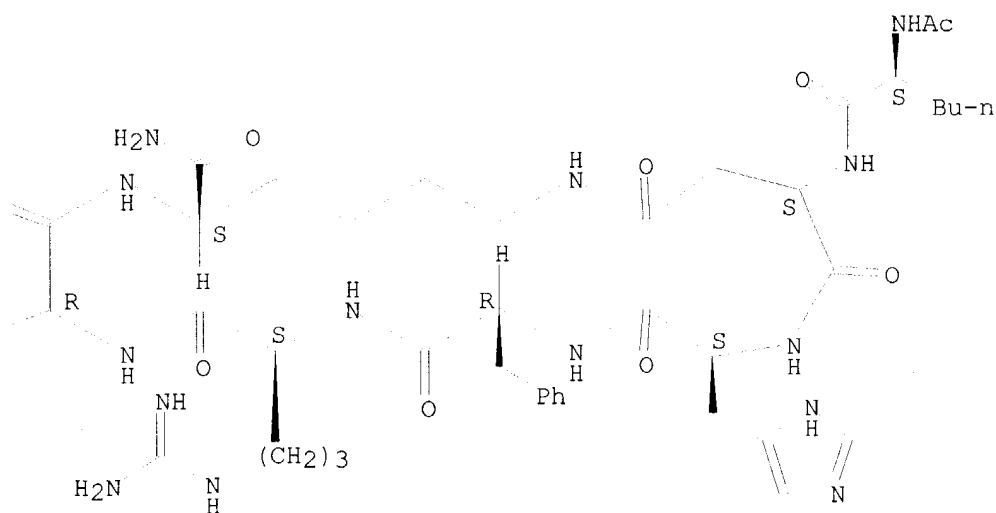
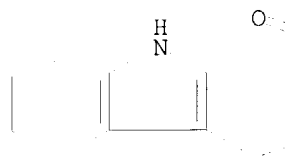


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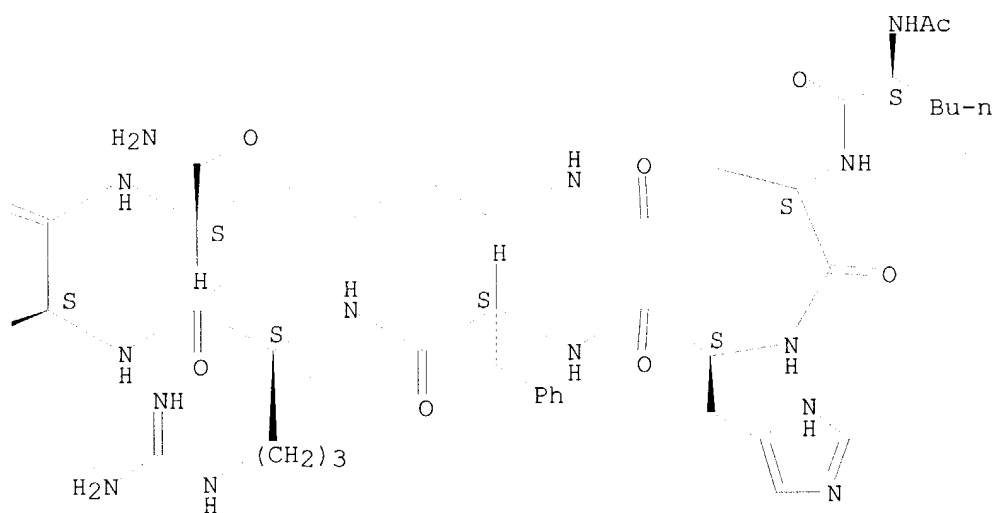
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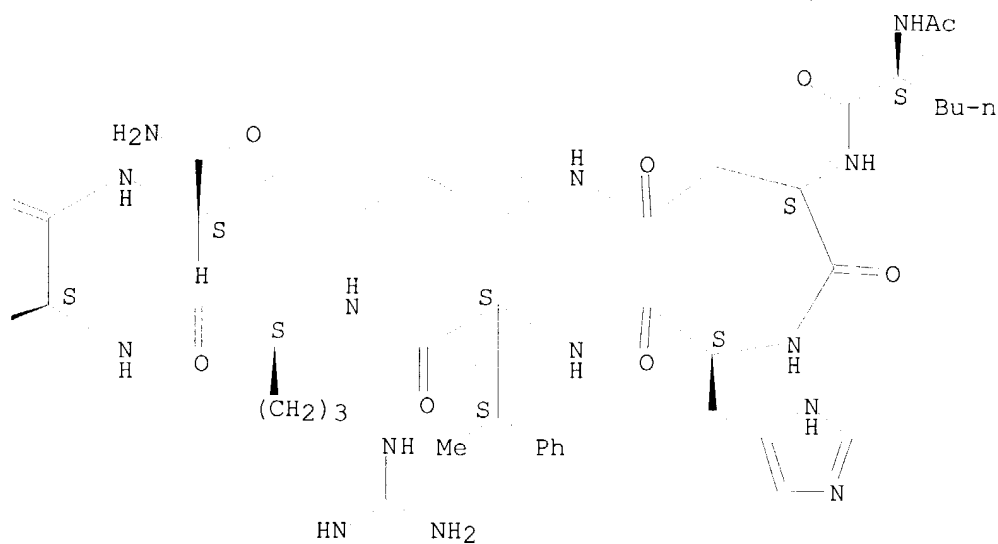
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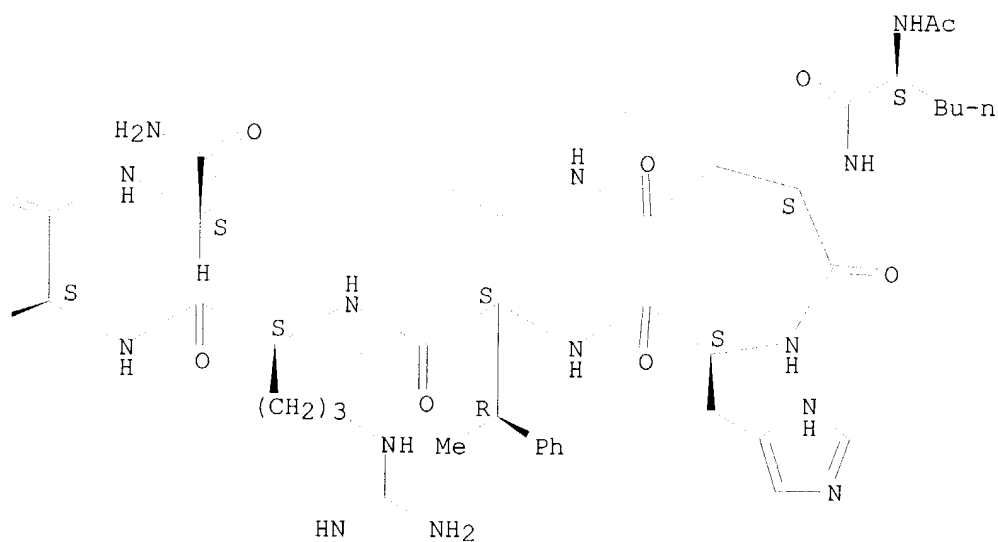
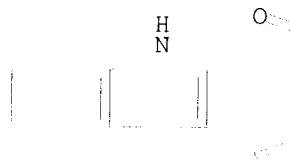
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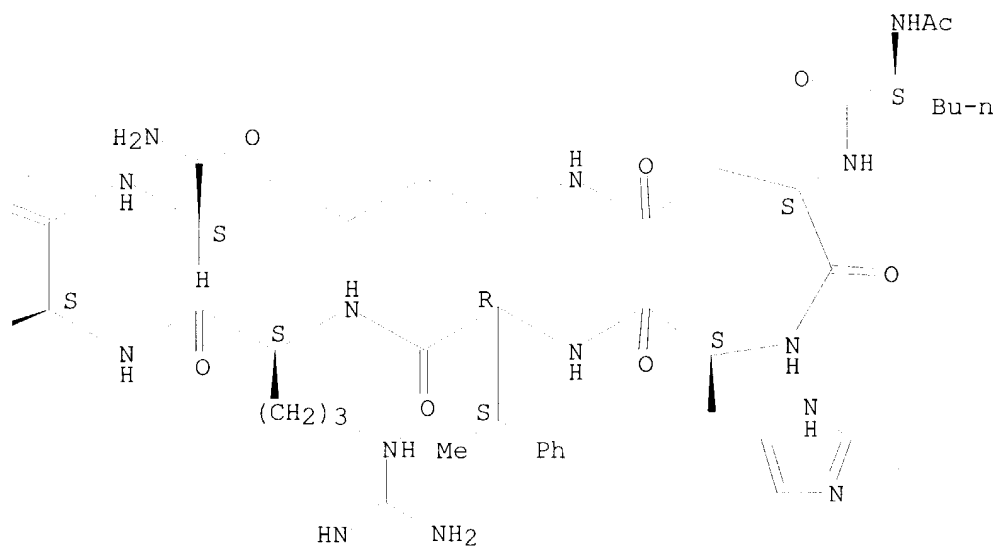
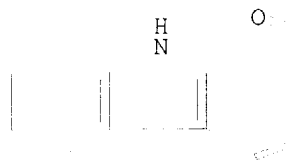
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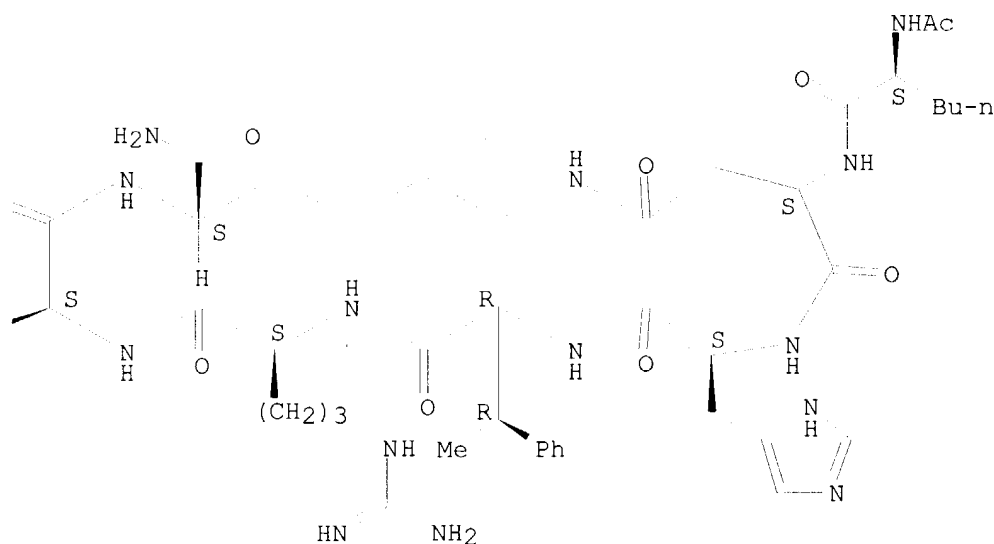
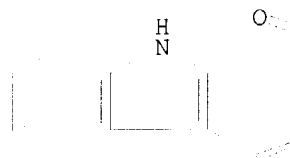
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TITLE:  Biological and Conformational Examination of Stereochemical Modifications Using the Template Melanotropin Peptide, Ac-Nle-c[Asp-His-Phe-Arg-Trp-Ala-Lys]-NH₂, on Human Melanocortin Receptors

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AB Examination of conformationally constrained melanotropin peptides (Ac-Nle4-c[Asp5-His-Phe7-Arg-Trp9-Ala-Lys]-NH2) on four human melanotropin receptors (hMC1R, hMC3R, hMC4R, and hMC5R) resulted in identifying the importance of ligand stereochem. at positions 5, 7, and 9 for agonist binding affinity and receptor selectivity. A trend in ligand structure-activity relationships emerged for these peptides, with the hMC1R and hMC4R possessing similar tendencies, as did the hMC3R and hMC5R. α -MSH (Ac-Ser-Tyr-Ser-Met4-Glu-His-Phe7-Arg-Trp-Gly-Lys-Pro-Val-NH2), NDP-MSH (Ac-Ser-Tyr-Ser-Nle4-Glu-His-d-Phe7-Arg-Trp-Gly-Lys-Pro-Val-NH2) and MTII (Ac-Nle4-c[Asp5, d-Phe7, Lys10]-NH2) were also examined at each of these melanocortin receptors. Interestingly, the linear NDP-MSH possessed greater binding affinity for the hMC3R and hMC5R than did the cyclic analog MTII. The peptide Ac-Nle-c[Asp-His-Phe-Arg-D-Trp9-Ala-Lys]-NH2 demonstrated the greatest differentiation in binding affinity between the hMC1R and hMC4R (78-fold). Analog Ac-Nle-c[Asp-His-Phe7-Arg-Trp-Ala-Lys]-NH2 resulted in micromolar binding affinity (or greater) at the hMC3R and hMC5R, demonstrating the importance of D-Phe7 for ligand binding potency at these receptors. Ac-c[Asp-His-Phe-Arg-Trp-Ala-Lys]-NH2 resulted in loss of binding affinity at the hMC5R, implicating the importance of Nle4 (or a hydrophobic residue in this position) for binding to this receptor. Ac-Nle-c[D-Asp5-His-Phe-Arg-Trp-Ala-Lys]-NH2 was unable to competitively displace [125I]NDP-MSH binding at micromolar concns. on the hMC3R and hMC5R, suggesting the importance of chirality of Asp5 either for ligand-receptor interactions or for orientation of the side chain lactam bridge and the structural integrity of the peptide conformation. Energy calcns. performed for these peptides resulted in the identification of a low-energy ligand conformer family that is common to all the ligands. The differences in ligand binding affinities observed in this study are postulated to be a result of different ligand-receptor complexed interactions and not solely to the ligand structure.

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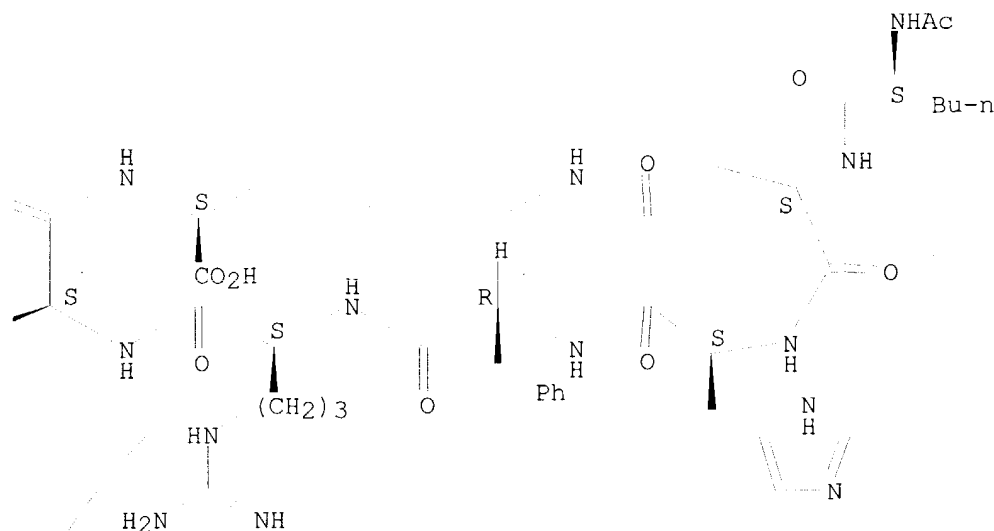
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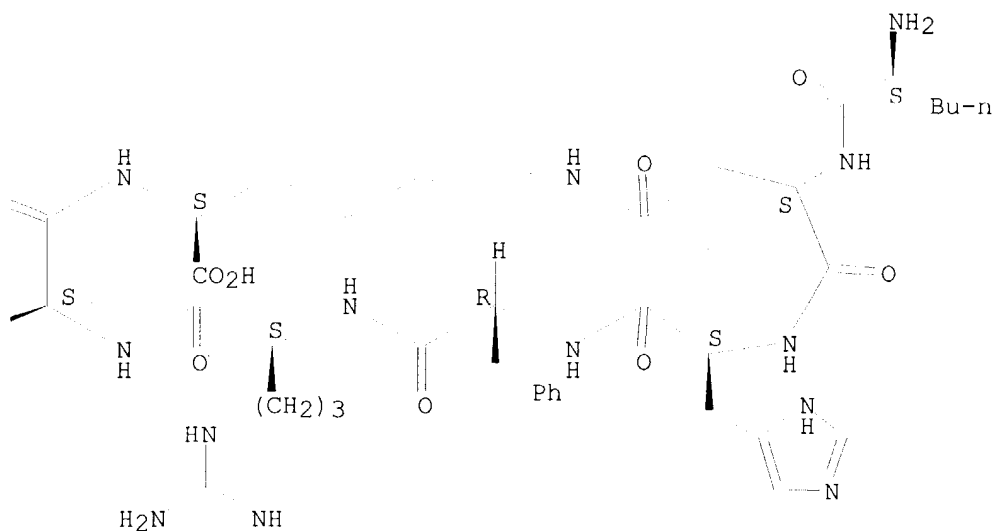
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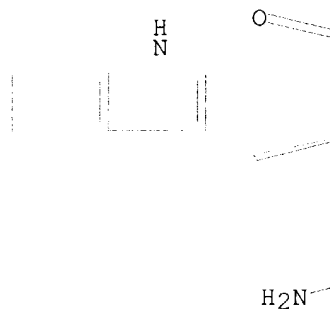
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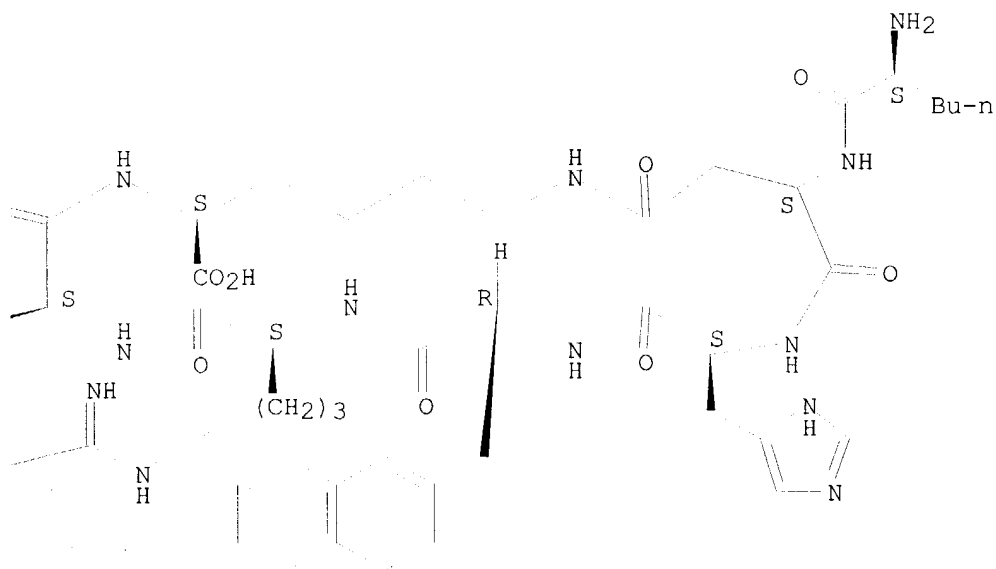
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ACCESSION NUMBER: 1996:250787 HCAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 124:279637

TITLE: Evaluation of Melanotan-II, a superpotent
cyclic melanotropic peptide in pilot
phase-I clinical study

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AB A pilot phase I study was conducted with a cyclic heptapeptide analog of α -MSH. The lactam-bridged mol., called Melanotan-II (MT-II), has the structure Ac-Nle4-Asp5-His6-D-Phe7-Arg8-Trp9-Lys10 α -MSH4-10-NH2 and has superpotent melanotropic activity in vitro. A single-blind, alternating day (saline or MT-II), placebo-controlled trial was conducted in 3 normal male volunteers at the starting dose of 0.01 mg/kg of MT-II. S.c. injections of MT-II or saline were given daily (Monday-Friday) for 2 consecutive weeks. Two subjects were escalated by 0.005 mg/kg increments to 0.03 mg/kg and one to 0.025 mg/kg. The 0.03 mg/kg dose produced Grade II somnolence and fatigue in one of two subjects (WHO stds.). Mild nausea, not requiring antiemetic treatment, was reported at most MT-II dose levels. A stretching and yawning complex appeared to correlate with the onset of spontaneous, penile erections which were intermittently experienced for 1-5 h after MT-II dosing, depending on the MT-II dose. Two subjects had increased pigmentation in the face, upper body and buttock as measured by quant. reflectance and by visual perception 1 wk after MT-II dosing ended. These results demonstrate that MT-II has tanning activity in humans given only 5 low doses every other day by s.c. injection. The recommended single MT-II dose for future Phase I studies is 0.025 mg/kg/day.

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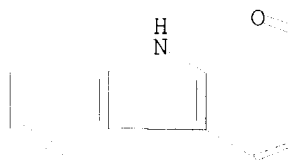
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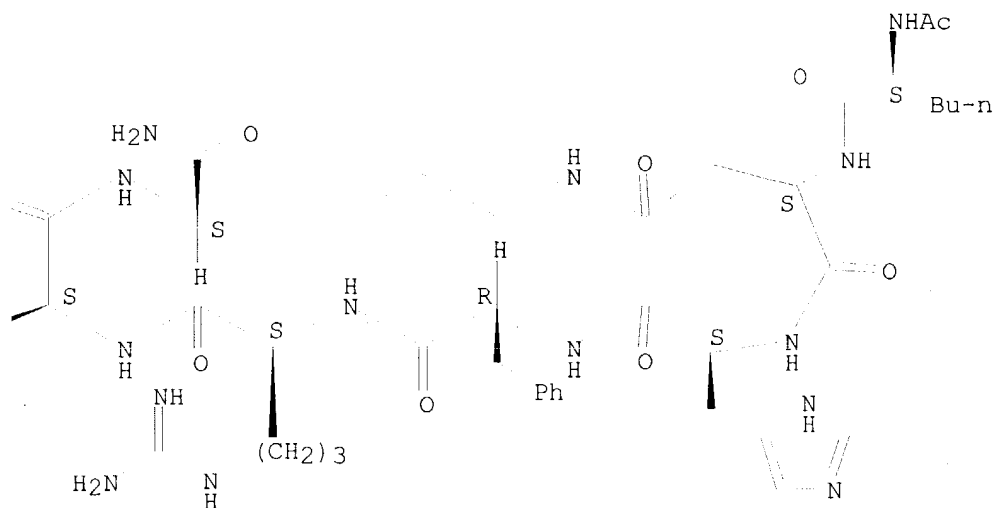
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TITLE: A conformational study of two **cyclic peptide** analogs of α -MSH

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AB Lowest energy conformations were determined for 2 **cyclic peptide** analogs of α -MSH by utilizing mol. dynamic simulations. Such studies have implications in the mol. modeling and computer-assisted design of new analogs.

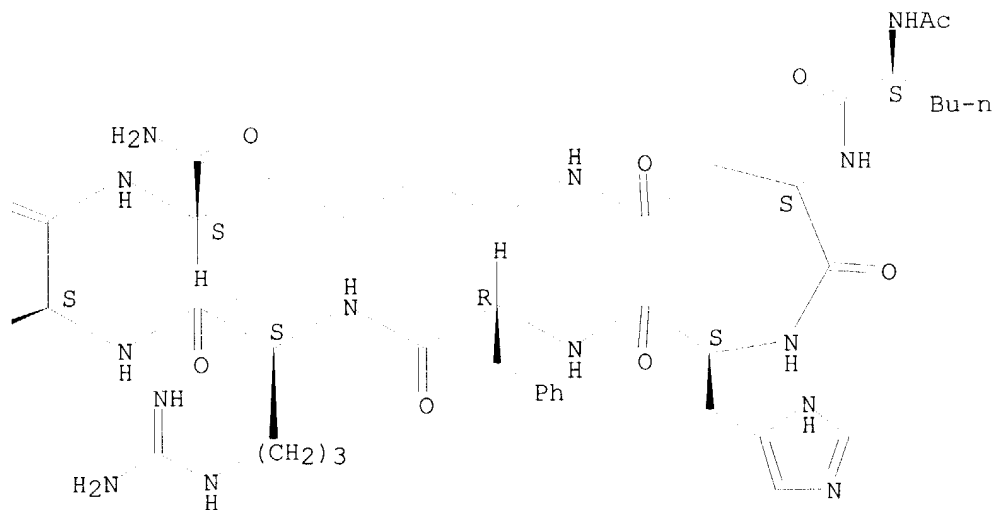
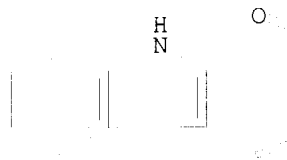
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Absolute stereochemistry.



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DOCUMENT NUMBER: 111:214935

TITLE: Potent and prolonged-acting cyclic lactam analogs of α -melanotropin: design based on molecular dynamics

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Ac-Ser-Tyr-Ser-Nle-X-His-D-Phe-Arg-Trp-X¹-R I

AB Cyclic lactam fragment analogs of α -melanotropin (α -MSH) I (X = Glu, Asp; X¹ = Lys, Orn, Dab, Dpr; R = NH₂, Gly-Pro-Val-NH₂; Dab = 2,4-diaminobutyric acid, Dcpr = 2,3-diaminopropionic acid) were prepared. Formation of the lactam bridge between the side-chain groups X and X¹ was performed either in solution or on a solid-phase support. The **cyclic peptides** were bioassayed for their melanotropic potency using standard frog (*Rana pipiens*) and lizard (*Anolis carolinensis*) skin bioassays. Cyclic melanotropins with 23-membered rings exhibited 100-fold higher melanotropic potency than α -MSH, with selectivity for the lizard melanocyte receptors over the frog melanocyte receptors. Increasing or decreasing the ring size of these cyclic melanotropins diminishes the biol. potency. The 23 and 24-membered ring analogs showed prolonged (residual) biol. activities in both biol. assays, but the smaller ring systems did not. These results provide new insights into the structural and conformational requirements of α -MSH and its analogs at two different types of pigment cell (melanocyte) receptors.

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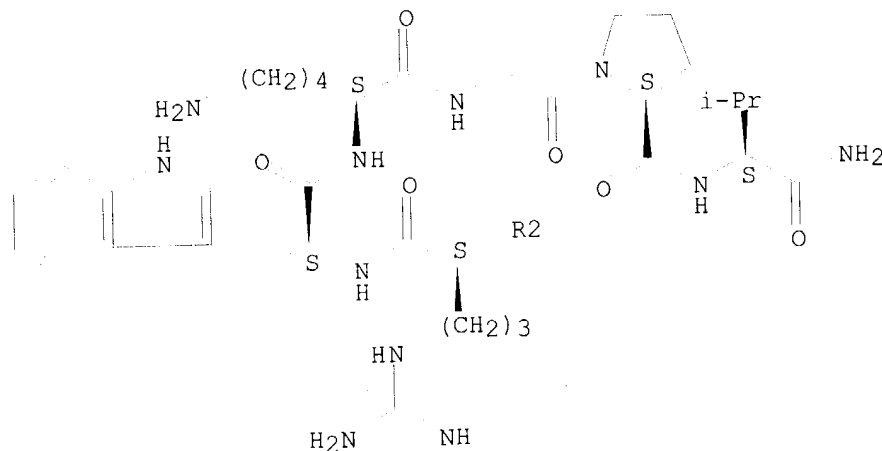
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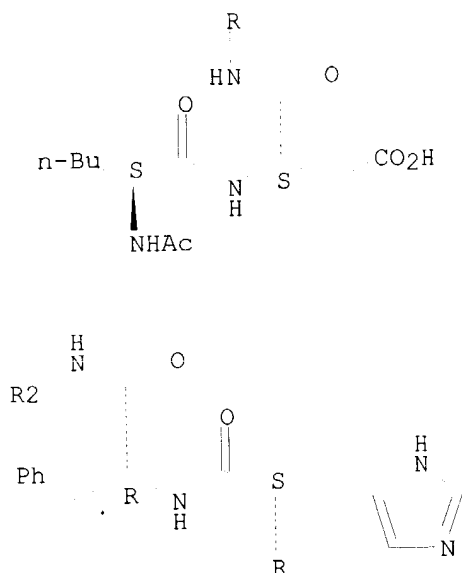
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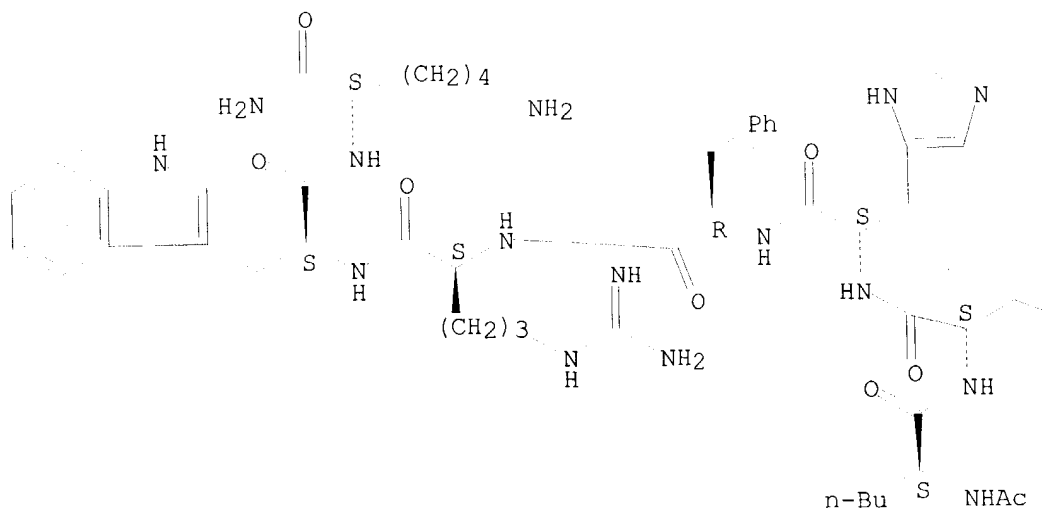
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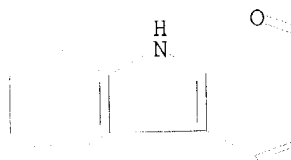
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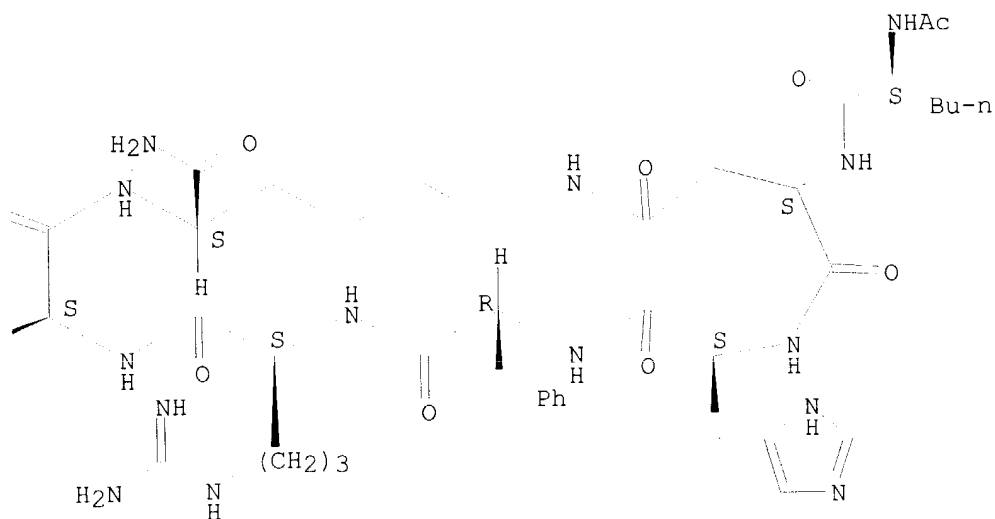
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Absolute stereochemistry.

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